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BISHOP NOTES STEPS TOWARDS WORLD PEACE

Kellogg Pact May Prove Most Remarkable Occurrence of 1928, He Says, in Address at Annual Diocesan Synod; Announces Plans for Consecration of Cathedral Nave in September; General Synod Accepts Invitation to Meet Here in Fall; Bishop Reviews Mission Work

Plans for the consecration of the nave of the new Christ Church Cathedral about the end of September were announced this morning by the Bishop of Columbia, Right Rev. C. D. Schofield, in the course of his address delivered in St. John's Church schoolroom to the annual diocesan synod. The Bishop laid before the delegates a comprehensive review of world affairs, referring particularly to the Kellogg Pact and to various movements towards the goal of a united Christian Church. A report of progress and needs of the missionary enterprises of the church was included in the Bishop's address.

Another announcement of interest to Anglican Church people was that the National Commission, appointed at the last General Synod "to make a survey of the problems and needs of the church," would visit the diocese in the week beginning Sunday, March 3.

KELOGG PACT
"Perhaps the most remarkable occurrence of the year 1928 will prove to be the signing of the 'Kellogg Pact' at Paris on August 27," the Bishop said in opening his address. "On that occasion the representatives of seven nations—the number has since been doubled, I believe—solemnly declared on behalf of their principals that they renounced war as a national policy and pledged themselves to seek arbitration in case of any dispute or conflict."

"While it has been explained that the agreement leaves every nation the National Commission, appointed at the last General Synod 'to make a survey of the problems and needs of the church,' would visit the diocese in the week beginning Sunday, March 3.

Man Injured By Taxi Not Known

No Identification Yet of Pedestrian Struck in Vancouver Last Night

Vancouver, Feb. 6.—Efforts to identify a man who was knocked down by a skidding taxicab at Georgia and Beatty Streets here at 8-10 last night have so far failed, according to the police.

Vancouver General Hospital authorities state the victim's condition is critical. He is suffering from a fracture of the skull and is unconscious. Alfred Lavorato, the taxi driver, was held by the police on a charge of driving to the common danger. When he appeared in police court to-day a remand of eight days was ordered.

Lavorato told detectives he was driving west across the Georgia Viaduct when he saw the man step from the curb on the north side. He was then 180 feet distant and the driver applied his brakes. The car skidded and struck down the pedestrian in the centre of the street.

PASSENGER SLIGHTLY HURT

A passenger in the taxi, whose name is not known to the police, was slightly cut by flying glass.

The victim is described as follows: Twenty-nine or thirty years old, five feet eight inches tall, about 150 pounds, fair hair and blue eyes, clean shaven and light complexion. Dressed in blue suit with white pin, striped tie and light-colored shirt.

West Hastings Street, Vancouver; brown felt hat and low tan shoes.

Ottawa Athlete Dies As Result Of Plane Crash

Ottawa, Feb. 6.—G. (Jerry) Ault, prominent athlete of this city, died to-day as the result of injuries suffered at Camp Borden yesterday when the plane he was flying crashed. Mr. Ault, who was training for a pilot's certificate, was on a solo flight when his machine went into a tailspin.

Pandora Block To Be Rebuilt

Three-story Brick Building, Gutted By Fire, Will Be Reconstructed

Cold Weather Has Hindered Many Building Projects in This City

Plans for the remodelling of the three-story brick building at 749 Pandora Avenue, gutted by fire some years ago, at a cost of several thousand dollars, and calling for extensive renovations are being prepared by Bishop and Shanks of 922 Government Street.

The initial permit was taken out at the City Hall to-day, for a tar and gravel roof to cost \$600. The renovations will include extensive alterations to the interior plan of the premises, which may be used for store and office purposes. C. E. Hall is to do the preliminary roofing work. It was this building that was the scene of a disastrous fire some years ago, where one man lost his life.

A new block of four stucco bungalows on Quadra Street is being considered by another Victoria realty firm, but final plans in this regard have not yet matured.

TO FOUR CEMENT
The pouring of cement on the B.C. E.R. Company's new \$250,000 distributing station at Bay and Douglas Streets will commence as soon as the present weather moderates. All is in readiness at the scene for a start on the actual building. Much of the rewiring and pole rigging has already been accomplished.

Cold weather has also held up work on the Victoria Cold Storage and Terminal Warehouse Company's plant at Ogden Point, and generally retarded all contracts under way in the city. Builders expect to see the end of the cold snap by this week, and are preparing to make up for the time lost in the last two weeks.

WARNING AGAINST PROWLERS ISSUED BY POLICE CHIEF

A warning to householders in Victoria to protect themselves against prowlers was issued this morning by Chief of Police John Fry, in commenting upon minor losses which have been sustained in several parts of the city lately.

Leaving of door keys under door mats and failure to secure the catches on windows accounted for the entry of prowlers on some occasions, the Chief pointed out, urging everyone to see that these matters were attended to before leaving a house empty. He also warned against leaving loose money where it might be picked up by anyone entering. Entry to houses where thefts had been reported had in many cases been secured by pass keys or by the proper keys left under mats, the Chief further said.

CEDAR STUMP IS HOME OF MAN IN FIELD IN VANCOUVER

Vancouver, Feb. 6.—While almost every householder in Vancouver watched with growing concern the vanishing of his fuel store and acquired a stoop from shoveling coal and carrying sacks, Henry Laybourne, a sixty-year-old ex-serviceman, lived as carefree as the birds who shared his humble domicile under a large upturned cedar stump, his home for the last two months.

WHAT SEARCHERS FOUND

Acting on information that a destitute man was living somewhere in the stump lands east of the Technical School, between Broadway and Tenth Avenue, police searched the area and found Laybourne, snug in his simple home. An old oil can cut to have a fire door, served as a stove, and near it were nest pile of wood and kindling carefully heaped to fit the diminutive stove.

WILL HEAR ARGUMENTS ON SALVATION ARMY LEADERSHIP



Friday of this week has been indicated as the last day the High Council of the Salvation Army believes it should wait to hear General Bramwell Booth or representatives of him state the general's side of the leadership controversy. The date of the hearing has not yet been announced. Members of the High Council pictured above are, left to right: Commissioner McKenzie, China; Commissioner Hoskins, Australia; Commissioner Hoggard, International Council; Colonel T. Cloud, Central America; and Commissioner W. Maxwell, Eastern Canada and Newfoundland.

Extend P.G.E. Now Highway Plan Mackenzie Urges In Board Parley

Fears Tolmie Policy May Delay Railway Solution for Years and Make Government Tool of Transcontinental Systems; Demands Investigation of "Double Profits" of Speculators on Recent Government Bond Sales; Says Ministry Shifted Ground on Log Exports; Liberal Civil Servants Will Be Dismissed, He Warns

Whereabouts Of Trotzky Is Now Mystery

Report He Arrived at Constantinople Aboard Ship Denied By Moscow

London, Feb. 6.—A maze of conflicting reports to-day had Leon Trotzky in as many as six or seven widely separated places.

The story that he was aboard the Soviet steamship Krasny Flot, which arrived at Constantinople to-day after surviving a tempest on the Black Sea, continued to be current, but was flatly denied by Moscow officials.

No further official information was obtained, but dispatches from the Soviet capital indicated an understanding in some quarters there that the former War Commissar was still at Alma-Ata, Russian Turkestan. It was said he possibly was pondering his answer to a reported Moscow ultimatum that he make unequivocal surrender to the central committee or suffer exile abroad.

MOSCOW REPORT
Berlin papers published reports from Korvo, Lithuania, that he had arrived at Moscow in the custody of secret police and was being held in a suburb there, pending completion of arrangements for his exile.

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KING ABLE TO SIGN PAPERS

For First Time Since Council of State Named Sovereign Performs That Duty

London, Feb. 6.—King George, for the first time since the appointment of the Council of State on December 4, has been able to sign several documents. It was officially stated that yesterday he had signed two state papers appointing Justice Tomlin to be a Lord of Appeal in Ordinary and a member of the Privy Council.

London, Feb. 6.—It was officially stated at Buckingham Palace to-day that the condition of King George was unchanged. His physicians, Sir Stanley Hewitt and Lord Dawson of Penn, made their customary call, remaining about an hour.

No definite date has been fixed for the King's journey to Bognor, on the Sussex coast.

FARM COSTS SCHOOL BURNS LAID BARE JUST PRIOR TO AT INQUIRY OPENING HOUR

Judge Lampman Assured Good Saanich Land Worth Only \$100 an Acre
Rentals of \$5 Per Acre Cause Hesitation; Specialty Crops Pay \$23

Rural Saanich should not become part of any municipality, but should enjoy low taxation as a ward of the Provincial Government, was the view of practically every witness who testified this morning before Judge P. S. Lampman, commissioner in the inquiry into the municipal affairs of Saanich.

Under the guidance of C. H. O'Halloran and A. J. Patton, rural landowners and farmers, told the Commissioner of losses suffered in endeavoring to farm in Saanich. Many witnesses considered that the agriculturist could well be benighted with low taxes, and that the task of farming at a profit, anywhere on the Pacific Coast, had been impossible for the last eight years.

NOT WORTH MUCH
William D. Mitchell, farming 233 acres at Keating, said his land was assessed for \$22,625 with improvements valued at \$29,125. Of his holdings 200 acres were under cultivation as a general farm. In his opinion land ready for cropping could be farmed profitably if bought for around \$100 an acre. Oats yielded fifty bushels on one ton to the acre, worth \$30 a ton. Cost of production was now double that of ten years ago, and was stated to exceed the crop revenue from either hay or oats, the staple crops grown. The witness said his taxes on land totaled about \$800.

Asked by Mr. O'Halloran for his views on creation of a new rural municipality, Mr. Mitchell said, "I don't want any more municipality," and explained that taxes would continue to increase. He desired reversion to the status enjoyed by North Saanich, under Provincial control.

Replying to commissioner counsel H. J. Davis, Mr. Mitchell said he had paid \$50 or \$75 for land requiring heavy clearing costing \$75 an acre. Such purchases had been made for the benefit of five sons.

RITHEF FARM

Harry T. Barnes of R. P. Rithef and Company said his firm owned 827 acres at Royal Oak, assessed for \$57,905 and \$41,885 on improvements. Taxes of \$1,927 were almost offset by rentals of \$1,800.

Mr. Barnes recalled that his firm had fixed a price of about \$250,000 or \$300,000 when negotiating for sale of the tract to moving picture promoters. He had signed the deed for reversion in hopes that reversion to Provincial control would lessen taxation. The witness agreed that the Rithef farm had high potential value for subdivision purposes, but hopes of sale had been unfilled for twenty-five or thirty years.

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TELEPHONE PLANS ARE GOING AHEAD

Building For New Automatic Phone System to Be Started Immediately on Johnson St.

"We are going right ahead with our development plans on the island," said James Hamilton, vice-president and general manager of the B.C. Telephone Company, at the Empress Hotel to-day. Mr. Hamilton has been in Victoria since Monday on company business and will return to Vancouver either to-day or to-morrow.

Work on the Johnson Street building, which is to be erected to accommodate the automatic telephone system for Victoria, will be begun this Spring, and the entire installation in the city will be completed early next year, Mr. Hamilton stated.

The building will be erected immediately adjoining the telephone company's building at the southeast corner of Blanchard and Johnson Streets, fronting on the latter thoroughfare. It will be one story high, and in construction will conform to the existing structure.

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Jensen Tries For World Solo Flight Record

Roosevelt Field, N.Y., Feb. 6.—Martin Jensen of Los Angeles took the air here at 9:04 a.m. to-day in his monoplane, The Green Flash, in an attempt to set a new world solo endurance flight record. He hopes to remain in the air forty hours and thus beat the old record of 25 hours and 25 minutes, made by the late Lieut. Royal Thomas.

At the start, his plane carried 375 gallons of automobile gasoline instead of the usual aircraft gasoline.

ATLANTIC FLIER'S DEATH BRINGS MANY WORDS OF REGRET



LATE BARON VON HUENEFELD

Berlin, Feb. 6.—Germany to-day mourns the loss of a figure which made aviation history — Baron Ehrenfried Gunther von Huenefeld. The death last night of the sponsor of and one of the three participants in the first non-stop westward aeroplane flight across the Atlantic Ocean brought many expressions of regret.

Baron von Huenefeld's contact with Canada began shortly after noon, April 14, 1928, when the monoplane Bremen landed on Greenley Island, (Concluded on page 2)

Seven Killed In Two Clashes

Three Rioters in Bombay and Four in Ceylon Die When Troops Shoot

Bombay, India, Feb. 6.—Three persons were killed and six were wounded last night when troops fired on rioting Moslems in the mill district here.

CEYLON CLASHES

Colombo, Ceylon, Feb. 6.—Four lost their lives, sixty were taken to hospitals and an estimated 3,000 others were injured in various degrees in yesterday's strike riots here, a check to-day showed.

The disturbances, which began yesterday when 15,000 striking harbor and railway workers marched on police headquarters, subsided during the night, but were resumed this morning in the Parel area, despite patrols of troops there. There was sporadic attacks on pedestrians and tram cars were stoned and fired.

In one such attack in the Mohammedan quarter of Parel, cars were stoned and lighted tar barrels were placed around them. The police fired into the crowd, but there were no casualties.

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LITTLE JOE

THE SENATE AND HOUSE PAGES RUN FOR CONGRESS EVERY YEAR, BUT NEVER ARE ELECTED.



Paris, Feb. 6.—The condition of Marshal Foch was unchanged this morning, following a calm night in which there was some improvement in the pulmonary symptoms, his doctors said at the conclusion of a consultation. The physicians were more optimistic than yesterday morning, although Dr. Hertz-Boyer upon leaving the house said he could make no definite pronouncement for several days.

The interesting thing was said to be that the marshal continued to take nourishment and there were some signs the kidneys were resuming their normal functions.

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Foch's Gain Is Slight To-day

Physicians Say It Will Be Days Before Course of Case Is Clear

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MUCH WORK TO DO

"And now, lest anyone is fearful that we should become brethren too quickly let us glance at the other side. So long as the evacuation of the Ruhr tarries; so long as the minority rule of a group of extremists not only controls Russia but persists in disturbing other countries; so long as several dictators control the destiny of as many nations; so long as China and India in their vastness have still to find a controlling centre in their respective new eras; so long as the United States and Great Britain fail to communicate with one another in a common understanding; so long as we use Premier Baldwin's apt phrase, as individuals are ready, while outgrowing apish tendencies, to indulge in the habits of the tiger; so long as all these conditions exist there will be work for everyone to do who wishes to aid in bettering the conditions in which men live. The summing up of these considerations is: Let us not despair, but let us not fail to pursue personally and publicly the cause of peace and goodwill. 'When the world of nations declares for the outlawry of war, there has dawned a new day'; but the day itself with its labors, its duties and its immeasurable opportunities lies before us. The Pact of Peace contains no magic potency. It will not enforce itself. It is an instrument to be used, not a goal of final accomplishment."

THE ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY

"Another notable experience for the home church has been the resignation of the Archbishop of Canterbury—a proceeding almost without parallel. One aspect of this matter should not escape public notice. Here we have an Archbishop commonly spoken of by the ignorant as a 'statesman,' a 'courtier,' a 'safe man,' deliberately breaking all traditions by resigning when still possessed of great mental vigor and still maintaining his physical capacity. The truth is—and those of us who have been privileged to know him have always realized—that Archbishop Davidson has given himself, body, soul and spirit, to the service of his Lord and His Church. And he has now yielded place to a younger man in the most splendid spirit of self-sacrifice, believing that in so doing he is advancing the work of the Kingdom. History will undoubtedly appraise Archbishop Davidson as one of the great occupants of the See of Canterbury. I count it a signal honor to have been ordained priest at his hands and on more than one occasion to have been a guest in his house. With sincere gratitude I would acknowledge here his guidance, help and sympathy."

"Of the new Archbishop, I can speak with even greater personal knowledge, as I enjoyed the privilege of working as one of his curates for several years. Archbishop Lang—possibly more Scottish even than his predecessor—brings an outstanding personality, long and varied training, ripe experience, deep spiritual devotion, vision, courage and sound judgment to meet the exacting present demands of the exalted office to which in the Providence of God, he has been called. I have promised the Archbishop—who, from what he has written, would gladly have tried to come to us for the consecration of the new Cathedral had he remained at York—I have promised him that we shall not forget to back him up with our sympathy and prayers. Dr. Lang's successor at York, Dr. William Temple, adds great strength to the leadership of the home church."

CHRISTIAN UNION

"As one studies the various world religious movements, there can be no doubt that the goal of a united Christian Church is forcing its way into the Christian consciousness as the one desirable thing. The Lausanne World Conference on 'Faith and Order' of 1927, preceded by the Stockholm Conference, was followed by an international missionary conference held in Jerusalem during 1928. All of these look one way—the way of unity—and each has its continuation committee to foster and develop the finding of the way; and all are determined to move in sympathy and co-operation as the English Church Congress of last Autumn centred about the same theme. The church of South India—whose representatives pressed in 1920 for syncretistic consideration of their scheme of reunion—it is rumored, will send a delegation to Lambeth next year which cannot take 'no' for an answer."

"All signs point, then, to a conference of the churches next year of first importance. While to the uninitiated it seems strange that the Church should lag so far behind in the general trend towards peace and unity—and in all conscience it is strange—yet, experience has proved how difficult progress is in this field. Our whole communion should be constantly on its knees praying for guidance and courage for the bishop and, at the same time, our members should be considering the problem among themselves."

ANOTHER ASPECT

"And side by side with this unity of Christendom for its own sake, because it is according to the will of God, there has loomed large of late another aspect of the situation. 'The Jerusalem Conference, already referred to, composed of representatives of the world's religions, has directed attention to what I mean. 'There has appeared among men, the conference declares, a new attitude of mind. It pervades all human society; it is found in every country, Christian and non-Christian alike; an attitude of mind, which owns allegiance to no creed, which refuses to be bound by any moral code—at all, as such. This attitude of mind, though unorganized and without institutional form, is yet coherent and homogeneous throughout the world in its integrating effect upon every form of definite religious faith.'"

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bids fair to become the great antagonist of all religion. It is bringing into the full light of day the situation outlined by Gladstone long ago as he foresaw the time when the forces of faith would be engaged with the forces of unfaith for the possession of mankind. "For the moment this new attitude appears to be succeeding terribly in its quest. We have all felt its force, at least in its negative form, in the indifference to religious influences which manifests itself on every hand."

"That cry must be 'Wake up, all who believe! Wake up, Christian Church!' cannot be doubted. And as we join battle, let us not fail to recognize that fight of faith is on and that in this struggle only those who are in earnest will count. It is not possible that in this new world, particularly here on the Pacific Coast, where the Orient and Occident meet, we may find ourselves in the front line of the struggle. There is need as we prepare for the contest, that we should pray that God who calls will make us worthy."

CONSECRATION OF NAVE

Referring to the new Cathedral, the Bishop stated:

"As anyone can see for himself, we have made great strides with the new cathedral building during the year. The nave walls have been completed to the full height of the clerestory. The vaulting of the north and south aisles is all in place, as is also most of that of the nave roof. The rafters of the outside roof of the nave are erected. And all this work has been accomplished without a serious mishap of any kind."

"Because of this wonderful progress, the matter which must now engage our united attention is preparation for the consecration service. 'If nothing unforeseen occurs, it looks as if, in the providence of God, the nave will be ready for use about the end of September.'"

"As soon as I discovered this possibility, I began formulating plans. 'Supporting the Metropolitan, we invited the boards of the General Synod to hold their annual meetings in the Autumn of 1929 on the Pacific Coast; and I am able to report that this invitation has been accepted. This action secures that we shall be able to welcome the Canadian Episcopate as well as outstanding clergy and laity of the Canadian Church to our celebration.'"

"In addition to these we are expecting a representative group of bishops and clergy from the sister church in the United States. I am hopeful also that a representative bishop from the home church will be present. "My desire is that the occasion of the consecration may be a time of spiritual refreshment and growth for us all. With so many distinguished persons in our midst, it would seem to be a golden opportunity for making a beginning with our programme for deepening the spiritual life of the diocese. Having this in mind, I did not arrange for our usual gathering before this synod, but I venture to hope that, as far as may be, both clergy and laity will keep free the last week of September, or such other date thereabouts which may be settled upon, for the purpose. If this is possible, we shall, from its inception, act toward one purpose, in which the cathedral has conceived, viz. that it may be a veritable spiritual power-house for the diocese."

"We shall be able to discuss the subject more fully when the Archbishop submits the report of his committee."

MISSIONARY ENTERPRISES

Passing to the missionary interests of the church, the Bishop said:

"The Columbia Coast Mission has continued its work on the effective lines of last year's reorganization. The outstanding feature of the twelve months is the very considerable reduction of the society's indebtedness. For this, credit is due to the superintendent, the Rev. John Astle; and it is testimony to the wisdom of setting him free to devote himself to the managing of the mission."

"In the lower part of the mission's field, the Rev. Alan Greene has faithfully maintained his ministrations in the good ship *Reservoir*. "During the year, I persuaded Dr. Duncan Scott to recognize the good and faithful work being done by Miss Nixon and Miss O'Brien at Village Island by appointing them as one of the official teachers under the Indian Department, and the Government is now paying her salary by Miss O'Brien in the expense of their work. Recently Miss Diben has also been added to the strength of the Indian Department as field matron at Alert Bay."

"The long-looked-for development in our Northern Mission is, at length, accomplished fact. During January, I was able with the hearty approval of the Rev. William Greer as vicar of the Rev. William Greer in charge of the Northern Mission. The people of Port Alice have signed a contract with the Synod for \$50 per month towards the stipend, and in addition, they are to take up the customary canonical collections and apportionments. While this action will mean a large contribution from the Diocesan Mission Fund, it is at least a step which we have been anticipating for some years. It marks also a forward step in our work, since it brings the people of this territory into direct relation with the diocese for the first time. I am not without hope that by this time next year it may be possible to welcome both vicar and lay representatives from the district to the Synod."

"The work of the West Coast Mission, known otherwise as Fort Vancouver, has been making steady progress under the Rev. P. F. Ardagh-Walker. Among other duties, Mr. Walker has managed to get the cable station at Rainfield fairly regularly. A sign of advancement is seen in the fact that the people of this mission, out of gratitude for the services rendered, have voluntarily agreed to contribute \$20 per month towards the stipend."

"In our Oriental Mission, faithful work has been done throughout the year. The regular staff, the Rev. B. D. L. Mrs. Field and Miss W., has been added to by the arrival of Miss Chapman and Taylor. These two ladies, after long preparation in England, offered through Archdeacon Lavock, to come to Victoria at their own expense and while earning the living here, to give part time voluntary service in our Chinese Mission. They are proving themselves most helpful."

"Those of us who took part in the annual Christmas conference, at the mission, were impressed with the good work being accomplished; with the increased interest and enthusiasm displayed and with the manifest growth of the spirit of fellowship. "At Alert Bay there has been steady progress during the year of building. Not only has the parish been beautified by the new church building, extending to a considerable size, but a new, neat, and comfortable dwelling in their possession of the common enterprise of the

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church at large. All this in spite of the fact that the sawmill has been closed down for the greater part of the year. There has been a deepening interest also in the spiritual life of the parish.

"At length I am able to report that work has been begun upon the new school building. If the Department's plans are carried out, in their entirety, we shall be in a position to develop on better lines than ever the good work accomplished through many years among the Indian boys and girls."

COLD LEADS TO MANY APPEALS TO FRIENDLY HELP

Over 500 Persons Assisted With Fuel, Food and Clothing Last Month

The recent severe weather caused many inquiries to be made on supplies at the Friendly Help Association, and the gifts of coal from His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and of \$25 for coal from an anonymous donor were greatly appreciated, according to the reports presented at yesterday's meeting.

A total of 151 cases, representing 555 persons, were assisted during the month of January; 90 had groceries, 49 fuel, 35 milk daily, 47 had meat more than once, also 67 got clothing, 51 got provisions from rooms as jam, rolled oats, apples, vegetables, tea, dripping, etc., 12 got sundries as toys, bed, spring and mattress, bedding, heaters, etc., and 34 got coal donations.

Warm clothing, stockings and shoes for children and adults are still very much needed, and there is also an urgent call for a spring and mattress.

Mrs. A. G. Price presided at the meeting yesterday, and much pleasure was expressed at Miss Lawson's convalescence after her long illness. Mrs. Stacopole was welcomed as a new member, and Aldermen Woodward and Adam were welcomed on behalf of the City Council. Delegates to the Local Council of Women annual meeting chosen were Mrs. McManus, Mrs. Davidson, Mrs. Radbourne and Mrs. Hurst.

The association acknowledges with grateful thanks the following donations received during January: Cash—The City, A. Friend, Miss Kathleen Hall, Mr. Blackwood, Richard Henderson, Janet W. Burnett, Mrs. Purdie, Oakland Dairy, Gospel Light, T. E. Perkins, Mrs. Guillard, J. E. Wil-

son, Sir Percy Lake, J. W. Morris, G. D. Christie, J. E. Painter, Jack and Hugh Murray, Clair Belsom, Purdy's Grocery, Jas. Forman, Stanley C. Todd, R. H. Ker, Vintage Jersey Milk Co. Ltd., Kirk Coat Co. Ltd. Clothing—Mrs. Jameson, Mrs. Noble, Mrs. M. Wallace, Mrs. G. Astell, Mrs. Toye, Lady Lake, Mrs. Wilkinson, Alexis Martin, A. C. Sylvester, Miss Maule, Mrs. Price, Miss Pitts, Mr. Farrant, Mrs. G. Neill (coat), the Misses Palmer, Mrs. Lowther, P. R. Brown, Mrs. Burdick, Mrs. Hyndman, Sir Percy Lake, Mrs. Smith, Miss McFarlane, Mrs. Rice, Mrs. Petterson, Mrs. Gill (new socks), Mrs. A. Crease, Miss Blackwood (stockings), police department, Mrs. Caulfield, Mrs. K. Morton (Seattle), Mrs. Richardson, Mrs. Cowan. Provisions—Mrs. J. Forks, jam; Miss Allen, dripping; Mrs. B. Greer, dripping; Mrs. W. S. Terry, dripping. Sundries—Smith Repair Shop, baby buggy, Mr. Bohlander, heater; Anonymous, one ton coal; Mrs. Turner, bed, spring and mattress; Collinson and Mills, twine and paper; the Hon. Lieutenant-Governor, six tons coal; Mrs. Bremner, wintering, J. H. Hall, Upland, two tons coal; Madame Sander-son, bed, spring and mattress; Mrs. Rookely, baby cot; A. C. Sylvester, magazines; Mrs. Crockett, heater.

ATLANTIC FLIER'S DEATH BRINGS WORDS OF REGRET

(Continued from page 1)

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in a Berlin sanitarium, following an operation. He was thirty-six years old and unmarried.

He entered the sanitarium a few days ago to seek relief from the stomach and intestinal trouble from which he had long suffered. He underwent an operation for appendicitis last August, but as long ago as the time of his famous transatlantic flight his physical conditions was far from good.

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DISCUSSION OF NAVIES URGED

London Times Says Negotiations Needed Following U.S. Senate's Voting of Bill

London, Feb. 6.—Passage by the United States Senate of its naval building bill drew varying editorial comments in London newspapers to-day. The Times expressed belief there was no need to hurry further disarmament negotiations.

"Clearly there is time for inquiry and still more clearly is there need for it," the newspaper said. "No British interest is adversely affected by the Senate's decision. To the British mind no rivalry arises or can arise so long as the community of view between the two nations on large issues is in the most part spontaneous, in all respects desirable and realistically considered vital to both."

CHRONICLES VIEWS
The anti-Government London Chronicle saw in the decision of the Senate a reaction to what it declared was the competitive naval building policy of the present British Government.

"The United States," it said, "would never have listened to the more truculent voices in their midst if our Government had not adopted the worn-out principle of naval rivalry at Geneva and revealed in its foreign policy leanings to the methods of alliances and competition between groups of powers."

**FARM COSTS LAID
BARE AT INQUIRY**
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HIGH-RENTAL
MacIntyre Dean of Keating, resident nearly sixty years in Saanich, told of 123 acres of land owned in Ward Six which was assessed at \$8,680 on land and \$19,000 on improvements. Taxes totalled \$387 which Mr. Dean considered should be lower. The property was rented to a seed-growing concern for \$23 per acre. Good land was worth \$150 per acre if used for general cropping purposes, Mr. Dean believed.

EXCLUSION OF LOTS
He favored revision to provincial control, later taking up creation of a new rural municipality including Wards Six, Five, part of Ward Four and North Saanich. The witness believed such an incorporation should exclude Cordova Bay, Sidney, Deep Cove, Brentwood or other subdivided districts.

Mr. Dean surprised the court when questioned by Judge Lammiman regarding poultry. "There are not three birds in Saanich to-day where there were fifty ten years ago," he said. "Poultry, used to be a good business, none better, but is not now."

SENATOR GREEN QUOTED
Edwin R. John, owning sixty acres at Saanichton, used as a mixed farm, paid \$164.25 taxes in 1928. No money had been made for many years, labor at \$6 an hour being prohibitive. "I just managing to hold my own," he considered, recalling that he had opposed creation of the municipality when the scheme was first mooted.

Mr. John said that Senator Green, when Provincial Minister of Lands, had expressed pleasure over creation of Saanich as a municipality "because farm areas, under government control, get more money from the province than they pay in taxes."

The witness favored disincorporation, any new municipality being no advantage to farmers.

Mr. John doubted if rentals of \$5 could be paid for good land used for general farm purposes. He remarked that specialty crops, including higher rentals, required land which had been highly improved at great expense.

NO FUTURE FOR BOYS
Fred Turgoose of Saanichton, with ninety-eight acres, paid \$235 taxes in 1928. He could not hire help, and worked from 5 a.m. to 8 p.m. daily.

Two sons had realized that no future awaited them in Saanich and had become miners, leaving the farm to witness, who had lived there nearly sixty years.

"When I see farmers in North Saanich, with farms just as good as mine, paying less than half the taxes I pay, I certainly want to get back under the Government," said Mr. Turgoose.

He considered the farmers to be in a hopeless minority and recalled "Didn't Reave-Crouch say, when he first ran, that he didn't care if he didn't get a vote in Ward Six, he'd be elected? and he was!"

A. E. Hole objected to control of municipal affairs by urban districts, and told of successful separation of a similar municipality in Manitoba. He could see no reason to fear the cost of operating a small municipality. While the witness did not foresee a reduction of taxes following a change, the rural areas would enjoy expenditure locally of taxes raised.

Reeve Crouch objected to the view expressed, pointing out that the rural wards had enjoyed larger expenditures than those given the inner wards.

James R. Carmichael, municipal clerk of Saanich from 1907 to 1913, recalled early objections to incorporation of more than the present urban area, limited northward by a line from Knockan Hill, above Portage Inlet, to Mt. Douglas. He told of the creation of Ward Seven in boom years, as a means of equalizing assessments, soaring in the urban areas.

The inquiry then adjourned for luncheon.

SCOTTISH CUP

Glasgow, Feb. 6 (Canadian Press Cable).—The draw for the third round of the Scottish Football Association Cup competition, to be played February 16, was made to-day as follows:
Rath Rovers versus Dumbarton.
Celtic versus Arbroath.
Airdrie versus Motherwell.
Ayr versus St. Mirren.
Falkirk versus Aberdeen.
Dundee versus Dundee United.
Albion versus Kilmarnock.
Clyde versus Rangers.

LAXATIVE TABLETS

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Lindbergh Party Flies Over Central America

Balboa, Panama, Feb. 6.—Col. Charles A. Lindbergh and his companions arrived in their plane at France Field, from David, Panama, at 4:03 p.m. to-day.

San Jose, Costa Rica, Feb. 6.—Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh and his two companions en route to Panama on the last lap of their inaugural aeroplane mail flight from Miami, landed at Punta Arenas at 8:10 o'clock this morning (8:10 a.m. Victoria time), and an hour and twenty minutes later hopped off again for Panama.

**HIGHWAY PLAN ENDORSED
AT BOARD PARLEY**
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Delegations from the various municipalities interested in the proposed highway will wait upon the Government shortly to further express their views, it is expected.

POLICY ADOPTED
A general policy of highway construction for recommendation to the Government involving five definite road projects and also the development of Port San Juan as a harbor, was adopted by the meeting.

In brief, the programme endorsed was as follows:
That the road from Sproat Lake to Tofoho be constructed forthwith.

That the Island Highway be continued to Menzies Bay and thence to Seymour Narrows.

That the Cumberland-Alberni Road be completed.

That the Ocean Highway be continued by way of Port San Juan to Port Alberni by the most advisable route.

That the Government be asked to use every endeavor to have the harbor of San Juan developed by the Federal Government so as to make it a safe port.

That all future roads that may be constructed shall have a reasonable width of standing timber on each side preserved wherever possible.

Endorsement of the Sproat Lake-way project is another definite step in the opening up of the famous Long Beach of Vancouver Island to the motoring public and tourist travel. A stretch of between thirty and forty miles of road is needed for the completion of this project, it was pointed out.

Lengthy discussion by the presidents of the various island boards of trade preceded adoption of this programme.

VICTORIA CHAMBER'S CASE
Mr. Harrison, in straightforward fashion, outlined the case of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce for the construction of the Ocean Highway along the West Coast. From Jordan River to Port San Juan the road would cost approximately \$400,000, he said. The Associated Boards of Trade should lay down a broad policy, he emphasized, pointing out that the main trunk

highway should be built first before dealing with lateral roads.
On behalf of the Duncan Board of Trade, A. H. Peterson discussed general development of highways to take care of increased traffic. The Duncan Board he said was not opposed to the Jordan River-Port San Juan Road but contended that from Port San Juan the highway should continue by way of Robertson River to connect with the existing road on the north shore of Cowichan Lake.

OTHER SPEAKERS
Capt. Fry, representing the Port Alberni Board of Trade; G. A. Cheeke, for the Malahat Board of Trade; General Noel Money, for the Qualicum Board of Trade, and several other delegates spoke in support of the various upper island proposals.

Arthur Leighton, vice-president of the A.B.T.V.I., presided and the following delegates attended:
Sydney J. Heald, Malahat; T. H. Mumford, Cumberland; W. Eadie, Cumberland; P. B. Fowler, Victoria; W. O. Wallace, Saanich; C. L. Harrison, representing Esquimalt Board of Trade; J. E. Sladen, Saanich; P. Cowman, Nanaimo; J. P. Doyle, Nanaimo; A. H. Peterson, Duncan; Dr. D. E. Kerr, Duncan; F. C. Grant, Nanaimo; C. S. Wood, Courtenay; John W. Thompson, Tofino; H. Y. Little, Port Alberni; Hubert Dendoff, Nanaimo; C. McIlroy, Port Alberni; Harvey Murphy, Nanaimo; General Noel Money, Qualicum; P. Anderson, Courtenay; Arthur Leighton, Nanaimo; O. T. Smythe, Duncan; George A. Cheeke, Malahat; P. S. Cunliffe, Nanaimo; M. C. Ironside, Nanaimo, secretary of the Associated Boards of Trade of Vancouver Island; Oliver Eby, Nanaimo; W. A. W. Hames, Courtenay, and W. R. Mitchell, Nanaimo.

**TELEPHONE PLANS
ARE GOING AHEAD**
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WIRELESS TELEPHONES

Other developments on Vancouver Island, which have already been announced by Mr. Hamilton, include a scheme to link up outlying sections of the island by a system of wireless telephones, a bill for which is before the Government.

Speaking of developments on the mainland, Mr. Hamilton states that the Chilliwack Telephone Limited, a subsidiary of the B.C. Telephone Company, will this year spend between \$70,000 and \$80,000 on improvements to the telephone system, which includes the installation of automatic telephones.

The improvements include the erection of a new telephone building on the site of the present structure at a cost of approximately \$16,000.

As Chilliwack will be an important centre in the company's system, provision will be made for repeater equipment for long-distance calls.

Considerable new cable will be strung along the Yale Road as far west as the Lickman Road.

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The plans are also in preparation for improvements to the company's system at Agassiz.

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ROMAN QUESTION STATEMENT SOON

Rome, Feb. 6.—Vatican circles this morning confirmed the previously reported pending announcement of settlement of the Roman question on Tuesday, February 12. The qualifying clause, "unless it should be postponed until Easter," was added, however.

The Pope's thoughts on the question could not be ascertained and all attempts to bring up the matter were generally but firmly defeated. Premier Mussolini also was silent on the subject.

NUMEROUS REPORTS
Under these circumstances, with the usual authoritative sources of information on both sides maintaining silence, nothing definite is known, although numerous rumors involving the Pope, King Victor Emmanuel, Crown Prince Humbert, Premier Mussolini and even King George have been placed in circulation.

One statement, more plausible than most, is that the Pope, after announcement that an agreement has been reached with the Italian Government, will appear on St. Peter's balcony overlooking the immense square capable of holding 200,000 persons, in order to bestow, for the first time since 1870 as a free Sovereign Pontiff, the Apostolic benediction "Urbi et Orbi" (To the City and World).

Deportations Are Suggested

Ottawa, Feb. 6.—Asking that the European workers who have replaced about forty employees of the Rapid Grip Company of Toronto be immediately deported, a delegation waited on Hon. Peter Heenan, Federal Minister of Labor, here to-day. The men replaced were designers, artists and engravers.

It was charged that many of the displaced workers were ex-service men and that some of the imported help had fought against the Allies.

Mr. Heenan stated he was determined to see the interests of Canadian workers were adequately protected.

**Germany Ratifies
Anti-war Treaty**

Berlin, Feb. 6.—The Reichstag to-day adopted the bill ratifying Germany's signature to the Treaty for the Renunciation of War. The vote was 287 to 127.

APPEAL BY DOUKHOBORS

Vancouver, Feb. 6.—Making charges of brutality and intemperance against the police officers who arrested several of their sect in the recent disturbance at Grand Forks, the Christian Community of Universal Brotherhood, Sons of Freedom, or Doukhobors as they are more generally known, have launched an appeal to the Federal Minister of Justice and also addressed an open letter to Inspector Dunwoody of the provincial police and Inspector Sherfield of the British Columbia Department of Education.

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UNCANONICAL

THE HONORABLE AND REVEREND Joshua Hinchliffe yesterday said that "on August 18, there passed out of existence the most venal, the most corrupt, the most hypocritical and the most autocratic government that any part of Canada has ever known."

In the sense that it was untrue this was a most uncanonical thing to say. In fact for the same reason it would have misbecome any member of the opposition who is not a canon even if he were, figuratively speaking, only a pop-gun. It was unworthy of any member, too, because it showed an intensity of partisan hatred which helps to bring public life into disrepute.

The leaders of the former Government since 1916 were H. C. Brewster, John Oliver and Dr. J. D. MacLean. None of them was venal, corrupt, hypocritical and autocratic, and all of them were respected throughout the Province. It is true they made mistakes, but their record of substantial achievement in the interests of this Province was at least as good as anything that is likely to be credited to the Government of which the Hon. Joshua Hinchliffe is a member, judging by the showing it has made so far. While the Liberal leaders were not Canons, we never heard any of them make a statement so obviously untrue as that we have quoted as falling from the lips of the Honorable and Reverend Joshua Hinchliffe yesterday. Incidentally there is no special indulgence in the Holy Writ for even Canons who do not stick to the truth.

We are especially intrigued by Canon Hinchliffe's use of the word "hypocritical" in his indictment. This would have been less appealing if it had come from any other member in the house. We can conceive of nothing more incongruous than the spectacle of Canon Hinchliffe, of all persons, intoning a charge of hypocrisy against, say John Oliver, whose hatred of smug pretence and "Holy Willies" was notorious; or against Mr. Brewster or Dr. J. D. MacLean. There was nothing of the whining Pharisee about any of those leaders.

Whether Canon Hinchliffe will measure up to the standard of the leaders of the late Government or not remains to be seen. Certainly he is not getting away to a very good start. Seldom has our public life shown anybody with such facility for closing his eyes to his own defects and those of his political establishment as the Honorable Joshua. Entering political life as a Conservative of "independent" inclinations, he early became one of the most bitter partisans in the Legislature.

He was an advocate—in opposition—of many policies he now is ready to repudiate. Persistently demanding an embargo on the export of logs when he was in opposition—he now sees nothing wrong in this and does not even remonstrate with one of his ministerial colleagues who is a large exporter of logs. A returned soldier, he meekly acquiesces in the dismissal of returned soldiers because they were appointed by a Liberal Government. A critic of machine politics—when in opposition—he has no objection now to the political machine which is developing within his own party and which is causing his leader no little worry. An opponent—when in opposition—of political patronage, he is now an upholder of it.

Beyond doubt he will go a long way. But the indications are that it will not be in the direction of the Mount of Olives, from which, in other days Canon Hinchliffe—like all other canons—was supposed to draw his spiritual—if not political—inspiration.

As for the Government of which the Canon is a member, the only competence it has shown so far has been to fire appointees of the late Government, hire party supporters, negotiate private loans at fat commissions and attack members of the former Government, alive and dead. Whether all this is properly canonical or not we do not know, but it is not helping the Province.

GETTING TOGETHER

ONE SHORT ITEM IN THE NEWS yesterday contains what may be the harbinger of more cordial relations between Russia and her western neighbors. It told us that at a council table in Moscow to-morrow her own representatives will meet representatives from Poland, Roumania, Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania to sign a protocol for the immediate enforcement of the Kellogg pact between those countries.

This is all to the good. It may not mean that Poland and Lithuania never again will glare at one another about the possession of

Vilna. That controversy is encased in highly inflammable material. It no doubt would be too much to assume that Russia and Poland henceforth will play the roles of the lion and the lamb and lie down together in perfect peace. Some wounds require a good deal of time to heal. But this meeting will be a new departure in Russian policy as far as it affects Russia's neighbors, and it may be that much good will come of it.

We know the Kellogg anti-war pact is not the panacea for the disease which fastened itself upon humanity from the dawn of civilization; but unless the world has descended into a state of moral bankruptcy—which we refuse to believe—the fifty-nine nations already committed to the principle which it embodies cannot escape its restraining influence.

THE DOCTOR'S CHANGE OF HEART

IN HIS SPEECH IN THE LEGISLATURE on Monday afternoon Premier Tolmie referred to apples and lumber, the desirability of increasing the market for both, and said what he thought should be done. About apples he had this to say:

British Columbia produces the finest apples in the world, and all the world needs to-day to use these apples is to know about them and be able to buy them at a reasonable price. With the production of this commodity of the highest possible class, our fruitgrowers, taken as a whole, are not prosperous. While our fruit is first-class, we have not reached the point yet where our methods of distribution are nearly perfect.

The morning paper reports the Premier in respect of his references to lumber in this way:

In connection with the lumber industry the Premier did not think that there should be any waiting to see what the United States was going to do in the matter of tariff in this line. Rather he felt there should be every step taken to extend the markets of British Columbia lumber not only in Canada itself, but in Australia and other countries. He felt that Ottawa should be approached and an endeavor made to try and have the trade treaty with Australia, so amended as to give Canadian lumber as good a chance in that market as the lumber from the United States. He favored a real educational campaign in the matter of extending these markets.

With the Doctor's views on the apple market situation and his suggestion for the extension of markets for our lumber we entirely agree. What we desire to draw to the attention of the Premier, however, is the fact that he apparently has had a change of heart. Not a word about higher import duties do we observe in his reference to apples. That was his principal demand when he discussed the subject on the hustings last Summer. We note also that he now is in favor of an extension of the Canadian-Australian Treaty in order that our lumber may obtain a preference in the Antipodean market. The Premier's party opposed and fought this inter-Empire trading arrangement in the House of Commons and on the public platform in the Federal elections of 1925 and 1926.

We do not know how far the Premier favors this Treaty now; but his advocacy of making every effort to persuade the Commonwealth Government to give our lumber better treatment—which, of course, the King Government already has promised to do—implies that he will not suggest that Canada should increase the duty on Antipodean butter which, of course, would jeopardize the pact—at least not until a preference has been given to our lumber.

IRELAND'S "MARTYR"

ALTHOUGH HE KNEW HE WOULD be arrested if he entered Ulster, Eamonn de Valera, the Irish Republican leader, yesterday set out for Belfast to open a bazaar; but he got no farther than Newry.

What Mr. de Valera had in his mind when he embarked upon a journey that he knew would end in his discomfort to his own business. The stormy petrel of the Irish Free State misses no opportunity of obtaining any publicity that will draw attention to what he may consider his martyrdom for the republican cause.

If the whole object which Mr. de Valera had in view was merely to open a bazaar, at this distance it looks as if it might have been better policy if the Ulster authorities had admitted him. He could have been reminded of the old order which bars him if it had been thought desirable. On the other hand, of course, it may be that he would not accept the favor gracefully.

There obviously still is a good deal of room for compromise in Ireland. At the same time Viscount Craigavon's prediction that Irishmen eventually would settle their differences between one another in their own way—and make a good job of it—may come true sooner than most people expect.

THE ROYAL FAMILY

The New York Sun

England has passed through greater economic crises before without losing its head and it will pass through this one in the same way. The present is, however, a time for good will, tolerance, courage and co-operation among all the important elements of the population. The members of the royal family are doing their part most royally. The agony of England's uncertainty in the illness of the King has given eloquent testimony to the world of how securely that family is rooted in the love of the British people.

ACCIDENTS

The Detroit Free Press

There is always some "excuse" for a bad accident, but the underlying reason in all cases is lack of sufficient care on the part of somebody. Accidents don't just happen.

WHAT OTHER PAPERS SAY

NO QUARTER
The San Francisco Chronicle

Why not make the order to the police to drive out gunmen, racketeers, vice and crime a permanent institution? Sporadic campaigns are an invitation to the underworld to lie low while a drive is on, and as soon as vigilance is relaxed, to come flocking back like cultures to a feast. . . . There is a vast difference between furtive vice made dull, stale and unprofitable and an underworld that grows fat and saucy under indulgence. Interludes of laxity provide us not only with our own problems, but those of an underworld recruited from far and near.

THE FIVE-DAY WEEK
The Washington Post

The Electrical Contractors' Association recently approved a five-day week and a ten per cent increase in wages for its employees. Other workers in the building trades are now demanding similar consideration, and some are threatening to tie up the industry unless their demands are met. . . . With the constant increase of machine production there is no reason why men should spend more than five days per week in the factories. Workers can produce more now in five days than they could in many weeks before the modern methods were developed. If production were maintained at the present basis and each worker were allowed an extra day of freedom it would solve the unemployment problem and result in benefit to the whole working class.

A THOUGHT

Then I saw that wisdom excelleth folly, as far as light excelleth darkness.—Eccl. 11, 3.

The first point of wisdom is to discern that which is false; the second, to know that which is true.—Lactantius.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

The Victoria Daily Times, February 6, 1904.

The Assembly Hall was the scene last evening of the fourth annual ball of Post No. 1, Native Sons of Victoria. It goes without saying that the affair was an unqualified success. There was a large attendance.

Victoria to-day has a taste of what the people of the Northwest Territories have been experiencing lately in the way of weather. The storm which struck the city, bringing with it a heavy fall of snow, is but the overflow of the cold current which has swept the East. It comes directly from the North, and is general all along the coast.

Weather forecast—Victoria and vicinity: Increasing easterly to southerly winds, unsettled, with rain, higher temperature.

Dr. E. Hall was among the passengers on the steamer Charnier last evening from Vancouver.

Mr. Justice Drake this morning gave judgment in the celebrated will case of Hopper vs. Dunscombe. He found for the defendant, James Dunscombe, with costs. An appeal will be taken immediately by the plaintiff.

The WEATHER

Daily Bulletin Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Feb. 6—3 a.m.—The barometer remains abnormally high over this Province, fine, cold weather continues from the Coast to Manitoba.

Reports:

Victoria—Barometer, 30.38; temperature, maximum yesterday 38, minimum 30; wind, 12 miles N.; weather, clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.40; temperature, maximum yesterday 38, minimum 26; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.48; temperature, maximum yesterday 34, minimum 26; wind, 4 miles N.W.; weather, clear.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.38; temperature, maximum yesterday 43, minimum 24; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Tatooch—Barometer, 30.38; temperature, maximum yesterday 43, minimum 24; wind, 22 miles N.E.; weather, clear.

Portland, Oregon—Barometer, 30.28; temperature, maximum yesterday 38, minimum 30; wind, 4 miles N.E.; weather, clear.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.80; temperature, maximum yesterday 56, minimum 40; wind, 16 miles N.W.; weather, clear.

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| Victoria | 38 | 30 |
| Vancouver | 38 | 26 |
| Nanaimo | 37 | 28 |
| New Westminster | 36 | 28 |
| Kamloops | 12 | 8 |
| Barkerville | 12 | 8 |
| Seattle | 36 | 28 |
| Penticton | 24 | 18 |
| Grand Forks | 22 | 16 |
| Kelowna | 21 | 15 |
| Swift Current | 6 | 30 |
| Calgary | 6 | 16 |
| Edmonton | 16 | 10 |
| Qu'Appelle | 6 | 22 |
| Regina | 10 | 35 |
| Winnipeg | 2 | 30 |
| Moose Jaw | 3 | 32 |
| Toronto | 28 | 18 |
| Ottawa | 28 | 18 |
| Montreal | 18 | 18 |
| St. John | 28 | 18 |
| Halifax | 28 | 18 |
| Dawson | 14 | 36 |

Valuable Manuscripts

Just one year after the death of Hardy, the incomplete manuscript of his novel, "A Pair of Blue Eyes," brought \$34,000 under the hammer in New York. A holograph manuscript of two cantos of "Don Juan," written on forty-nine folio pages and signed with the poet's flourish, brought \$20,000, and the bidding was high for a copy of the first edition of "Childe Harold's Pilgrimage." Other Byron "lots" brought high prices.

The holograph manuscript of Conrad's "Under Western Eyes" sold for \$7,250; a presentation copy of the first edition of "Barbarossa" brought \$3,300; a presentation copy of "Alice in Wonderland" brought \$2,700; and Samuel Butler's letterpress copy of the original "Erewhon Revisited" brought the same sum. The auction of the Kern library was to cover ten days, and over \$1,000,000 was expected. As The New York Times says, collectors must now think in thousands. Below the line, collecting is among the more expensive sports, comments The Bookman of The Manitoba Free Press.

There were a good many Byron items, the manuscript of "Marino Faliero, Doge of Venice," bringing \$27,000. It includes a preface and various letters. A holograph manuscript of two cantos of "Don Juan," written on forty-nine folio pages and signed with the poet's flourish, brought \$20,000, and the bidding was high for a copy of the first edition of "Childe Harold's Pilgrimage." Other Byron "lots" brought high prices.

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♦ 10 6 4
♣ K Q 4 3

West—
Leads ♠ K

East—
South (Declarer)—
♠ A 2
♥ A K 9 4
♦ A Q 5 3
♣ 5 2

The Bidding—South bids one heart. West bids one spade, North bids two hearts and all pass.

Deciding the Play—West leads King of spades and Declarer takes trick with Ace of spades. How should Declarer plan to play to insure game?

The Error—Declarer leads 2 of spades and ruffs it in the Dummy. Then King of clubs is led.

The Correct Method—Declarer endeavors to establish his club suit by playing 2 of clubs and finessing Queen of clubs. Assume this trick is won by East, the finesse failing. No matter what suit East may play, Declarer eventually wins the lead and "plays" 2 of clubs to King of clubs. The third club is ruffed by Declarer so that the clubs are established. Trumps are then drawn and game is assured.

The Principle—When holding any seven cards in combined hands with top as good as King and Queen, the probability is that the suit can be established on the third round.

Other People's Views

Letters addressed to the Editor and intended for publication must be short and briefly written. The longer an article the shorter the chance of insertion. All communications must bear the name and address of the writer, but not for publication unless the writer wishes. The publication or rejection of articles is a matter entirely in the discretion of the Editor. No responsibility is assumed by the paper for the preservation or return to the writers of communications submitted to the Editor.

"A WATCHING BRIEF"

To the Editor:—I was very much surprised to see an editorial paragraph in The Daily Colonist of January 31, 1929, entitled, "A Watching Brief," relative to the construction of two destroyers for the Canadian Navy at Messrs. Thornycroft's Limited, at Southampton, and the appointment of Engineer-Commander Clarke as overseer for the Canadian Government.

I feel confident that such slighting remarks would not have been made if those responsible had known the nature of this work, which involves a thorough knowledge of naval architecture and marine engineering.

Before construction of the vessels is commenced, the overseer must test samples of materials to be used to ascertain the fibre strength, ductility, tensile and other qualities in accordance with Admiralty specifications, and the acceptance or rejection of this material depends on the result of such tests.

In foundry work, the overseer supervises the mixing of metals, and examines all castings for flaws, etc. Those castings which are to be used under pressure must be hydrostatically tested and stamped by the overseer after inspection.

The workmanship during the course of construction requires close supervision as the majority of shipbuilding

work is carried out on a piece work basis. In addition, all watertight compartments must be tested, and trials of machinery carried out for speed, horsepower developed, thermal and mechanical efficiency, stability, tilt, etc., results being plotted on charts and forwarded to the Admiralty or Naval Headquarters, Ottawa, for verification, or correction, if necessary, without exception.

In similar work, without exception, all steamship companies employ an overseer, who works in conjunction with the Board of Trade and Lloyd's surveys, to protect the company's interests.

The sending of a representative from Naval Headquarters, Ottawa, to supervise construction is therefore a sound and practical arrangement, and the suggestion of "sponging" on the Admiralty for an official to do the work is deprecable. Canada has been "nursed" quite long enough by the Old Country, especially in naval matters.

The suggestion of this being a sinecure for Commander Clarke only shows ignorance of the facts and the selection of this officer to supervise the construction of ships for the Canadian Navy is a compliment to his ability, having been, I understand, Assistant Superintendent during the construction of H.M.S. Coventry during the war, for the Admiralty, on which vessel he served later, and also as senior engineer of H.M.S. Queen Elizabeth.

SEAL CAMPAIGN

To the Editor:—As the Tuberculosis Christmas Seal Campaign has now been closed, would you be good enough to publish the final report which is as follows:

To gross amount collected from sale of Tuberculosis Stamps, \$3,836.59.

To amount due Canadian Tuberculosis Society, Ottawa, 10 per cent, \$383.65.

To cost of postage, \$320.

To printing tuberculosis appeal letters and envelopes, etc., \$59.32.

To 15 per cent payable Tranquille Tuberculosis Society, \$481.04.

Balance on hand in special tuberculosis bank account for distribution to tuberculosis objectives in Victoria (a report on the disbursement of which is to be made at a later date), \$2,612.58.

The response made to this appeal by the citizens of Victoria was most gratifying and we wish to take this opportunity to extend to all the thanks of the Kiwanis Club for the sympathetic and generous manner in which the appeal was met. It was a worthy response to a worthy cause.

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(Adv.)

WHEREABOUTS OF TROTZKY NOW MYSTERY

(Continued from page 1)

Still another story had it that he had been aboard the Krasny Flot, but had been drowned during the recent great storm on the Black Sea.

A Jewish Telegraph Agency dispatch from Moscow said it had been learned from a highly reliable authority that Trotsky had arrived in Constantinople on January 26. His departure and subsequent movements had been kept secret, it was said, to avoid demonstrations.

Dispatches from Constantinople, however, reiterated the statement that no trace had been found there of the former Red leader.

NO VISA GIVEN

There was a report from Berlin that the Soviet Government had asked the German Government for a visa for Trotsky's passport, but this was denied at the Soviet Embassy in Berlin.

Since it became understood late last month that exile had been decreed by the Moscow Government for Trotsky there has been an almost complete dearth of authoritative information concerning him. It was understood negotiations proceeded for a time with the Turkish Government by which the former Red Army leader would have gone to Angora, and remained a virtual prisoner of the Soviet Embassy there, but there was no official confirmation of this.



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| Brand's Oxford Brawn, in glass | 50¢ |
| Brand's Assorted Galantines, in glass | 60¢ |
| Brand's Spiced Beef, per glass | \$1.00 |
| Brand's Steak and Kidney Pudding, per tin | 75¢ |
| Brand's Mutton Cutlets, per tin | 95¢ |
| Brand's Duck and Green Peas, per tin | \$1.60 |
| Brand's Mixed Herbs, Mayonnaise, Thyme, Parsley, bot., 20¢ | |
| Brand's Tanaigon Sage, Basil, Mint, per bottle | 23¢ |
| Brand's Mint Sauce, per bottle | 30¢ |
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BARBERS' BILL BRINGS DEBATE

Uphill Fights to Get It Before Legislature at Present Session

The bill to incorporate the hairdressers of British Columbia, before the last Legislature and on the order papers for several days to be introduced by Tom Uphill, Labor member for Fernie, was the subject of discussion in the House again yesterday.

When Mr. Uphill begged leave to introduce the bill, Attorney-General Pooley objected. The procedure was

not correct in the case of a private bill, he claimed. It was true that bills had been introduced that way in the last House, but the present Government did not propose to adopt any other system than that provided for in the rules. There was no reason why hairdressers, more than anybody else, should be granted privileges.

Mr. Uphill asked for relaxing of the rules on account of the ladies. "If the Government were just going out instead of just coming in," he said, "they would show better grace to the ladies. With the flapper vote at stake in England, the English House would jump at such an opportunity."

Mr. Mackenzie said he could satisfy the Speaker there was precedence to admit it. A. M. Manson said that, on consideration, he thought the Speaker might decide to admit it, as it would probably prove to be in the public interest and more of a public bill than a private bill. The Speaker deferred his decision.



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HINCHLIFFE WARNS CIVIL SERVICE STAFF

Reorganization Covering All Government Workers Coming

Bitterly Criticizes Liberal Government in Legislature Speech

The Department of Education of the previous Government made commitments that would absorb the entire amount usually allocated for the construction of school buildings and equipment, and promised \$170,000 in excess of the customary vote of \$200,000 for such purposes. Hon. Josiah Hinchliffe, Minister of Education, declared yesterday, in speaking in the debate to the reply to the opening speech.

As early as the Fall of 1926, he said, the previous Government commenced to make promises involving the construction and equipment vote for the present year, and before the vote of \$200,000 had received royal assent last March it was overcommitted. Since that time additional promises made brought overcommitments up to \$170,000 over the amount that would reasonably be placed in the estimate for the year 1929-30. This meant, he said, that there would be nothing for new work or extensions in the usual \$200,000 legislative authorization until February, 1930.

TO REORGANIZE SERVICE

Mr. Hinchliffe was scathing in his denunciation of the manner in which the previous administration had carried on business. He asserted that the civil service was in such a sorry plight as the result of tampering with its operation under the Civil Service Act that it would have to be entirely reorganized. Not only had men who were entitled to statutory increases been denied them, he averred, but some who were not entitled to the salaries, under the act, which they were receiving had been shown a preference. The result of all this was that the service would have to be entirely reorganized and be put on a proper basis. He announced that in the present estimates a lump sum would be included for the purpose of temporarily alleviating conditions, as it was impossible at present to make the statutory increases before there was a proper organization of the service.

Civil servants playing at their jobs and working at politics would be let out, he said.

T. D. Pattullo, Opposition leader—What amount will be included in that lump sum?

Mr. Hinchliffe—I am not able to say. Mr. Mackenzie—It is \$75,000. Mr. Hinchliffe—I thank the honorable member for the information, and for his having a knowledge that I do not possess. Being merely a Minister of Education, I do not know much of finance.

IDEAS OF NOBILITY

The Minister said that the member for North Vancouver had referred to the "honorable course" of the previous Government in not having borrowed money before going out of office, with the result that it became necessary for the new administration to enter into the immediate financing which had been the subject of criticism. He would like to ask Mr. Ian Mackenzie if his ideas of nobility extended to the practice of over-committing legislative votes before they were authorized.

Further, the Minister went on, such an honorable administration would scarcely have had such a "hottic two days" as had the MacLean administration on August 17 and 18 before relinquishing office. In those two days orders-in-council had been passed, he said, affecting the civil service in almost every department of the Government. Positions had been created that were unnecessary; lands had been sold to the B.C. Electric Railway Company, liquor had been destroyed, a policeman and a clerk had been dismissed and various other matters had been dealt with by order-in-council. Why, he asked, had all these things to be done on August 18 as the Government went out of office? A clerk he explained had been dismissed by order-in-council for having remarked that "Justice would come in with the Conservative Government."

In concluding his speech the Minister said that the Leader of the Opposition, who was fond of Scriptural quotations might have exclaimed, of the late Government, "It did that which was evil in the sight of the Lord." For, he added, "on August 18 there passed out of existence in B.C. the most venal, the most corrupt, the most hypocritical and the most autocratic government that any part of Canada has ever known."

PORTLAND RAIL AND SAANICH BILLS DOWN

Approval Sought Extension of Line From Canal Area Towards Peace

The bill ratifying the agreement between the municipality of Saanich and J. S. H. Matson, setting out the terms under which Mr. Matson operates a bus transportation system through the municipality and the terms under which he takes over the stock of the municipality and of his franchise, was introduced in the Legislature yesterday by C. F. Davis.

In a bill introduced to the Legislature yesterday by G. A. Walkem, provision is made by the Canadian Northern Railway Company for extension of its rail in the Portland Canal area. The bill recalls the Portland Canal Short Line Act Amendment Act, 1911, by extending the time for the completion of the line contemplated and for increasing its capital from \$3,000,000 to \$10,000,000.

Introducing the bill, Mr. Walkem announced that "I would open up the Peace River district. Provision is sought for construction of another 100 miles of line. Times for the completion of the line of railway which the company is authorized to construct are specified."

Another bill introduced yesterday provides for the amalgamation of the Delta Water Works System and the Westham Island and other extensions.

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Of Interest to Women

LOCAL COUNCIL'S ANNUAL SESSION STARTS TUESDAY

Major F. J. Ney and Dr. H. E. Young to Speak at 34th Yearly Meeting

The thirty-fourth annual meeting of the Local Council of Women will be held in the Metropolitan United Church on Tuesday and Wednesday next, February 12 and 13. In addition to reports of the various activities of the Council during the last year, a series of interesting addresses will be given by notable speakers, including Major F. J. Ney, organizing secretary of the National Council of Education, and Dr. H. E. Young, Provincial Health Officer.

The agenda in detail follows: Tuesday, 10 a.m.—Silent prayer, "O Canada," minutes of last annual meeting, appointment of returning officer and tellers, registration at the door, correspondence, president's remarks, annual report, financial report, report of the National Council of Education, standing committee report on "Migration," by Miss O'Brien; standing committee on "Laws," by Mrs. H. Crocker; election of officers and conveners of standing committees; adjournment for luncheon.

Tuesday, 2 p.m.—Minutes, reports of returning officer, reports of affiliated societies, standing committee on "Education," by Mrs. E. S. Parr.

Tuesday, 3:30 p.m.—Address, Major F. J. Ney, reports of affiliated societies, standing committee on "Citizenship," by Miss Bowron; standing committee on "Home Economics," by Mrs. J. W. Gibson; standing committee, "Arts and Letters," Mrs. Middleton. Wednesday, 10 a.m.—Silent prayer, minutes, correspondence, reports of affiliated societies, standing committee on "Cinema and Printed Matter," by Mrs. Llewellyn Thomas; standing committee, "Natural Resources," by Mrs. McMillan; reports of affiliated societies; adjournment for luncheon.

Afternoon, 2 p.m.—Minutes, reports of affiliated societies, standing committee on "Public Health," by Mrs. Booth; standing committee on "Mental Hygiene," by Mrs. C. de V. Schofield; address, Hon. Dr. H. E. Young; report, "League of Nations," Mrs. Llewellyn; new business; God Save the King.

Your Baby and Mine

By MYRTLE MEYER ELDRED



FRUITS ESSENTIAL PART OF CHILD'S DIET

The baby as early as six weeks or two months after birth is given his daily portion of orange juice nicely diluted with some water. The orange juice is not so vital as necessary to the breast-fed baby this early (unless constipated), but it is to the baby fed any kind of canned or dried milk or any patent baby foods. This because long cooking entirely destroys the vitamin C while short cooking may partially destroy it. Babies fed on canned foods and getting no fresh fruit juices may develop scurvy, the disease which was once so prevalent among sailors who were, on long cruises, denied the benefits of fresh food.

Prune juice cannot take the place of orange juice, as many mothers seem to think. Tomato juice can, for even if the tomatoes are cooked, the vitamin C in particular instance, is not destroyed. Oranges and lemons are a fine source of vitamin C, and both tomatoes and oranges contain two other important vitamins, A and B. But it is less necessary to know that particular vitamins are in certain fruits and vegetables than it is to impress oneself with the fact that all babies need vitamin C to make up for the lack of other fresh foods and as a stimulant to normal

teething. Children fed on foods deficient in this particular vitamin suffer from delayed teething. Oranges and tomatoes, then, are the first foods added to the regular diet. Later, the child may enjoy all kinds of fruits, both cooked, canned or raw, and should learn to like a lot of them before the third year. Prunes, pineapple juice, grapefruit juice, apples cooked and scraped raw, peach juice and pulp from fresh or stewed peaches, stewed pears (strained), are all permissible in the small child's diet.

Fruits are valuable not only for the vitamins but for their alkaline quality. Yes, I said alkaline and not acid. And if anyone is mentally quarrelling with me and insists that fruits are acid, we'll agree that they are until after digestion. Then these fruit acids are burned to an alkali ash and contribute to the alkalinity of the system. When we have colds the system needs more alkali, so we drink hot lemonade and orange juice, and quantities of vegetable soup. When a child has a mild acidosis which evidences itself in ammonia-odored urine, we help the condition by contributing more alkali in the form of fruit juices and vegetable soups, and, perhaps, bicarbonate of soda.

The laxative quality of fruits is well known, but it is perhaps as well recognized that they are far more effective on an empty stomach. Fruits taken with meals may be quite ineffective, while the same fruit pulps or juices taken one hour before a meal will have a decided effect. Don't fail to include fruit, both cooked and raw, in at least two of the children's meals daily.

VICTORIA GIRL IS WED IN SYDNEY

Miss Gladys Weatherston Bride of Australian Man; Pretty Ceremony

The many friends of the bride, who was a former Victoria girl and educated in this city, will be interested in the following account of a wedding, reproduced from The Times of Sydney, Australia, of recent date: The wedding was celebrated at St. John's Church, Darlinghurst, of Miss Gladys Weatherston, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Weatherston of "Capilano," Rose Bay, with Mr. Victor Colborne of Livingstone Road, Petersham, only son of Mr. and Mrs. G. Colborne.

The church was beautifully decorated with white roses and masses of pale pink and blue hydrangeas. November lilies arranged in gilt baskets, were affixed to the ends of the guests' seats. The service was fully choral, and the celebrated baritone, Mr. Richard McClelland, sang "All Joy Be Thine." The Rev. A. C. Lucas officiated. The bride looked beautiful in an old-world gown, with a bodice of ivory satin and a skirt of ninon, with bouffant drapes at one side and ankle length at the other. Hand-made velvet arum lilies outlined with silver cord, were the trimmings, and a train of silver lace was lined with pale georgette and caught with orange blossom, and a diamond horse shoe.

The Brussels lace veil was secured with a coronet of orange blossoms.

which were grown in the garden of the bride's home. The bridal bouquet was of November lilies, lilies of the valley and carnations.

Mrs. Wilfred Davis, sister of the bride, was matron of honor, wearing a frock of turquoise georgette, and a large black hat, and was distinguished with blue velvet streamers, the ends caught round the wrist, with a diamond buckle. She wore hand-painted shoes to suit with her basket of hydrangeas, which were intermingled with red roses. Mr. George Neill was best man. Miss Kitty Hammond was the dainty little flower girl. She wore an early Victorian frock of ivory tulle and a pale pink poke bonnet and slippers.

The bride's mother received the guests, who numbered over 200 in the Empire room, at the Ambassadors', which was decorated to represent an Italian rose garden. Mrs. Weatherston wore a frock of strawberry georgette, accented in strawberry and black, and a wrap of black Chantilly lace. Her bouquet was in Autumn shades. The mother of the bridegroom wore black lace over crushed rose georgette and a wrap of black ring velvet with a collar of old gold feathers. She carried a bouquet of pink and red radiance roses.

The bride's traveling dress was a smart ensemble in shades of cherry and oyster with which her Ball-buff had toned. The honeymoon will be spent in a motor tour of Victoria and New South Wales.

STATE DINNER AND DANCE SMART AFFAIR

(Continued from page 6)

Thurburn, Capt. and Mrs. S. Robertson, Capt. and Mrs. C. H. O'Halloran, Capt. and Mrs. G. C. Kenning, Rev. W. A. E. Murray, Capt. A. B. Wood, Capt. and Mrs. P. McPherson, Capt. A. Maclean, Capt. and Mrs. W. C. Thompson, Capt. and Mrs. S. R. Bowden, Capt. and Mrs. B. J. Gadsden, Lieut. and Mrs. H. C. Bray, Maj. and Mrs. F. Richardson, Maj. and Mrs. W. H. Lettice, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Browne, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Cressy, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Leary, Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Harrison, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Wallinger, Mr. and Mrs. McD. Paterson, Hon. T. G. and Mrs. Cowan, Mr. R. C. and Mrs. J. R. Colley, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Catherwood, Major R. J. Burde, Mr. and Mrs. Chris McRae, Mr. and Mrs. D. McPherson, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Munro, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Neelds, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Stoddart and Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Perry.

MOTHERS AND THEIR CHILDREN



CULTIVATE TASTE FOR POETRY

One Mother Says—When Little Sister was small, I made it a point when I read stories to her, to sandwich in a number of verses from papers and magazines. Now that she is older, she has developed a great love for poetry. She is making a scrapbook of newspaper and magazine verse, with special pages of verse suitable for Small Brother.

I often overhear one or the other of them repeating a musical line of a whole verse. The rhythm and swing of it seem to add to their grace and naturalness.

FINE EXHIBITION RECALLS EARLY CHURCH HISTORY

Magnificent Gifts to New Cathedral Among Notable Features at Memorial Hall

The pages of ecclesiastical, as well as secular history of Vancouver Island, have been turned back to the time of the first recorded interest of an Anglican churchman in the Indian tribes over 110 years ago, in the wonderfully interesting and educational anniversary exhibition which was opened at the Memorial Hall this afternoon.

Brought together through the initiative of the address and young people's committees of the new cathedral, the exhibition is amazing in its range and in the variety of its appeal, and embraces art, history, education, social service and mission work in its various sections.

PRIMITIVE ART

Chronologically, one of the first, as well as in point of interest, it was a happy thought to devote the entrance hall on Vancouver Street to a display of primitive Indian arts and crafts. Rev. A. W. Corke, Rev. Canon Stocken, Rev. F. Comley and Archdeacon Collier are showing here a collection of awesome dancing masks, many from the Haida tribe, primitive weapons such as a carved club made from the jawbone of a whale and bearing human bloodstains upon it as a grim reminder of its history, an ancient bark canoe, some tribal ceremonial robes, whose glittering rows of pearl buttons are reminiscent of the "pearls" beloved of the London costermonger, queer headresses and various cooking utensils and other implements.

An interesting feature is a collection of clever designs adapted from Indian totems and made by the children of the Indian Industrial School at Alert Bay.

ECCLIESIASTICAL TREASURES

The chapel is devoted to ecclesiastical art, under the convectionship of Ven. E. P. Laycock, Archdeacon of Columbia. Here are exquisite examples of church embroidery, including a magnificent banner of St. George, made on cloth of gold, hand-embroidered and presented to the new cathedral by Mrs. Pirrie; another beautiful banner belonging to the work of the work of Miss Ravenhill, who is at the head of the embroidery guild, and several other fine examples of the guild's beautiful work are in evidence. The beautiful frontal and frontlet made by Watts of London, England, for the new cathedral is also on exhibition in this room, together with the magnificent silver-gilt chalice dating from 1880, which has been presented by an anonymous and very generous donor to the new cathedral. One of the handsome processional crosses, designed by Omar Ramsden of London, and of which drawings are shown, has been promised to the church authorities by Ormond Blythe of London. An exquisite example of the glass-maker's art, in the shape of a cut glass chalice for use at the altar, is another interesting gift.

PIONEER DAYS RECALLED

The eightieth anniversary of the arrival in Fort Victoria of the first clergyman, Rev. R. J. Staines, whose wife started the first school in the old fort, is fittingly commemorated in the exhibit under the care of Miss Josephine Crease. Here may be seen the first Prayer Book ever used in the old fort, together with an interesting series of photographs of the first Christ Church Cathedral, later burned down, the consecration of the first bishop, Rev. Edward Hills, in 1869, and other mementoes of the Anglican Church here.

A notable collection, loaned by the Provincial Archives, includes relics of the Sir James Douglas regime and other souvenirs of old Victoria. Private collectors have contributed a number of quaint old dolls, and a doll's drawing-room, completely furnished, which was given to a little girl fifty-five years ago, is to be sold by auction on Friday night.

MOTHERS' UNION

The Mothers' Union have gathered together a unique collection for their exhibit. Among their treasures are a shawl which once graced the lovely shoulders of Marie Antoinette, ill-fated French queen; an exquisite lace belt scarf made in 1837 by a child of ten years, a shawl worn in St. Helena at the time of Napoleon's exile; a silver cup presented to the officer who brought the first ship around the Horn to this coast in 1835; some beaded bracelets of 1800, and an old quartette table. Of a different nature, but equally interesting and historic, is a Bolshevik arm band, worn by a Red Guard, in which is inset the coat of arms from the Russian Imperial dinner set, taken from the Czar's shooting box near Merv, Central Asia, a grim reminder of the troublous days of the revolution. The Mothers' Union collection is one of the most historic in the whole exhibition; and in addition they have for sale many attractive articles.

QUEEN VICTORIA'S LETTERS

Schoolboys with philatelic earnings can spend a happy hour in the room given over to postage stamps and British badges, gathered together by Rev. F. A. Ramsey. Here may be seen a series of envelopes addressed by Queen Victoria in her own handwriting, which once contained letters to members of her family and personal friends. These are to be sold by auction on Friday at 9 p.m., a rare chance for collectors.

A collection of British stamps is unusually complete, containing many interesting issues. Another notable collection shows the development of the postage system in Great Britain from the days when letters were franked to the modern air mail service. Missionary progress in the various lands in which the Anglican church has missions forms the theme of the exhibition in another room. Samples of the primitive arts of the Africans made by the natives and loaned by the Universities' Mission to Central Africa, are on charge of Rev. F. C. Chapman. Mrs. C. Hartley superin-

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ORIENTAL ARTS

Rev. Buol Ding Li, of the local Chinese mission, is in charge of the Chinese exhibit, which includes exquisite little carved replicas of various phases of Chinese home life. Rev. W. W. Cassels-Kennedy and Rev. W. C. Gemmell have charge of the Japanese collection, in which is to be seen a beautiful carved wooden altar piece dating from the sixteenth century. In this room is also a series of models of the various boats in the Columbia Coast mission service.

Social service and religious education in its various phases is dealt with in the posters, charts and pamphlets in the room under the care of Rev. W. Simpson and Dr. Murray Thomson.

A beautiful color scheme has been carried out in the decorations of the bazaar, a canopy-like arrangement of colored streamers depicting the four seasons, while at the various artistically decorated stalls a wealth of fascinating wares are being offered for sale. A tea room, offering dainty refreshments, is also housed with the bazaar. Beyond the bazaar, members of the Girls' Bible class in Oriental costume entice one into Aladdin's Cave, where a gem produces treasures for all and sundry in cave glittering with gems. This ingenious "side-show" represents the work of the girls' classes, who are to be congratulated upon their initiative and ingenuity.

FLOWERS OF ISLAND

In the gallery overlooking the bazaar may be seen a unique collection of all the flowers of Vancouver Island, collected and mounted by V. E. L. Goddard. Two small boys, the Robbins brothers of Qualicum, have with infinite patience and excellent results, prepared a large working model showing a town and adjoining logging camp in operation, complete with electric train conveying logs and other machinery incidental to the industry.

In addition to the attraction offered by the exhibition, programmes have been arranged for each day. The exhibition will remain open until Saturday, closing Saturday evening at 10 o'clock.

PROGRAMME TO-NIGHT

This evening's programme will consist of a public meeting at 8 o'clock in commemoration of the anniversaries being celebrated at this time, followed by a twenty-minute interval to allow people to see the exhibits, and at 9:15 o'clock the first performance of the play, "The Gift." Those participating in this production include Miss Mary Higgs, Miss Clara Vincent, Miss Nona Hartley, Miss Mary Angus, Rev. E. W. R. Carter and Geoffrey D'Arcy.

DOWAGER QUEEN OF SPAIN DEAD

Mother of King Alfonso Was Nun in Austria as Girl

Madrid, Feb. 6.—Maria Christina, Queen Mother of Spain, died here early to-day.

Maria Christina was seventy years old. She was the daughter of the late Archduke Charles Ferdinand and Archduchess Elizabeth Francisca Maria of Austria.

A series of political events in her own country, Austria, which threw certain responsibilities and international duties upon her, caused Maria Christina, Queen Dowager of Spain, to come out of a life of seclusion upon which she entered and eventually resulted in her marriage to King Alfonso XII of Spain. During her early youth she was a recluse in a convent of noble women in Austria of which she became an abbess. It was her intention, it was said, to take the full vows of a nun, when international and political events intervened and made it incumbent upon her to leave the convent. She met King Alfonso while he was on a trip to Austria after the death of his first Queen, Mercedes of Bourbon, who died without issue, and they were married November 28, 1870.

POSTHUMOUS HEIR

The married life of the royal couple continued for only six years, being terminated by the death of King Alfonso XII November 28, 1885. The young Queen was confronted by a serious situation because of dissensions in Spain and trouble in the dependencies, then located in the Atlantic and the Pacific. Still more serious, however, in the eyes of the Spanish people, was the fact that there was no male heir to the throne. This apprehension was removed with the birth of the present ruler, King Alfonso XIII, on May 17, 1886, six months after the death of his father.

Two previous children of the royal pair had been daughters. Maria Christina became Regent of Spain following the death of her husband, and ruled until May, 1902, when her son reached legal age to assume the throne.

During her regency the Spanish-American War took place.

The present King of Spain, Alfonso XIII, is her only surviving issue, both

daughters having died early in the present century.



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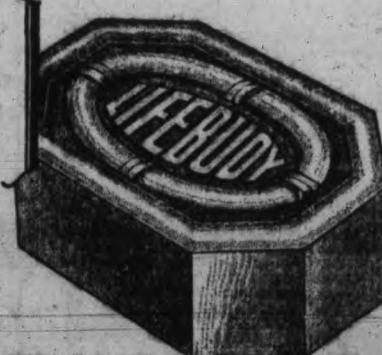
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"Porky" Is Stumbling Black to Cubs and They Lose to Esks

Seattle's New Goalie Gives Finished Exhibition When His Team Wins P.C.H.L. Game 2-1; Teams Put Up Ordinary Exhibition; "Smoky" Harris in Trouble Again, Getting Four Penalties; Game Held Up When Fans Threw Rubbish on Ice; Victoria Took Lead in First Period, But as Usual Failed to Hold It Due to Defence Failing at Critical Moments

Seattle's Eskimos made the Victoria Cubs the goats as they continued their newly-found winning streak in the Pacific Coast Hockey League at the local arena last night. The Cubs finished on the short end of a 2-1 count and they had no alibis. The game was a mixture of mediocre hockey, considerable loitering and at times brilliant flashes.

As far as the fans were concerned, Mr. "Porky" Levine, the recently-acquired Eskimo goal-tender, was the main attraction of the evening and they had plenty of fun throwing things at the well-built rubber stopper. He gave them a display of his "celebrated" horizontal act in the first period and they had lots to say about it for the rest of the game. Aside from that point, one has got to hand it to Porky. He was on the job when he was needed and although he was not called upon to stop too many shots he turned in a creditable performance and the only goal scored against him was on a practically impossible chance.

WELL-EARNED GOALS

For that matter, the three counters registered, one of which was scored in that period, were well-earned goals. There was nothing fluky floating around last night.

Four and five-man defensive tactics employed by the Esks in the last ten minutes of the final score had the customers greatly annoyed but nothing was done about it. The Cubs merely had to meet it with a four and five-man attack, which, however, proved futile in face of the stone wall which had Levine as the keystone. A number of slim chances to even the count just before the final whistle were lost through over anxiousness or misjudgment.

HARRIS GETS BOOS

Although both teams were using their bodies to advantage, the penalty list was not so imposing, as the players were careful not to sacrifice themselves when they were needed. Young Smoky Harris, the league's bad man, got the most, as usual, taking four trips to the cooler, none of which seemed to sweeten his temper. In fact, the fans got quite mad at him in the third period when he slashed their favorite Kelly and showed their annoyance with programme oranges and what was handy. Beyond holding up the game for a couple of minutes while the ice was cleared, this didn't do much good, however.

This man Renna, who formerly appeared with the Vancouver squad in the old P.C.H.A., has plenty of class, the fans learned after watching him in action last night. He skates well, handles his stick with perfect confidence and on a number of times pulled off solo rushes of benefit. His unassisted goal in the second period, the score after O'Meara had put the Cubs off on the right foot in the early session. Captain Cec Brown and the Cubs' former skipper, Bill Borland, combined to score the winning count for Seattle, Browne making a perfect play on Borland's pass.

CUBS DOMINATE PLAY

The Cubs dominated the play for the first few minutes of the opening period. Redpath, sending a rush on from the blue line and Kelly slapping a hard shot against Levine's stick, although failing to catch the rebound. Browne broke up a Victoria rush by spilling Redpath in centre ice and combined with Harris and Walker in a pretty combination but Redpath came back and stopped them.

Jimmy Evans went in for a sweet looking shot and took the rebound but "Porky" fell on the puck and for a few seconds it looked as if he might go to sleep on it. O'Meara took the rubber from the face off and his high one caught Levine in the face.

KELLY'S RUSH

Evans swiped the puck on Sutherland's pass to Johannsen near the Victoria goal but his rush called and Johannsen centre, he nearly beat the whole Cub defence. Borland tried a solo effort down the centre but couldn't keep his feet and Kelly replied with a neat shot on the right wing but his shot was a foot wide. Victoria was taking no chances on being caught napping with Seattle's forward pass stunt and were playing a tight defensive game. The goal ump behind the local net raised a scare when his hand shot up after Browne ticketed it down as the puck skipped off to the right.

FIRST GOAL

Immediately following this O'Meara and Redpath teamed to score Victoria's one and only tally. "Red" laying a nice pass in the goal mouth which O'Meara scooped into the twine with no difficulty.

O'Meara overshot when he went down with Kelly, the latter putting over a nice centre. On the return play Walker missed by inches with a hot shot. Referee Ion checked up on the Seattle goalie when he found David loitering inside the Cub net. The play was called back to centre. Levine saved from Evans as the period ended.

CLOSE SHAVE

Robertson had a close shave when he lost the puck for a moment after Walker sent in a fast one as the second session started. Kelly crouched behind the Seattle net to come out and test Levine and Kelly was a foot wide with a shot from the blue line. Levine saved from Evans as the period ended.

Capitals to Play Duncan On Saturday

Crack Up-Island Basketball Team Will Make Second Appearance Here

Locals to Trot Out Same Team That Defeated Chinese; Games To-night

Duncan senior hoopers will make their second invasion of this city Saturday night when they hook up with Victoria Capitals, senior champions of the city, at the Y.M.C.A. gymnasium. The visitors have victories over both the "Caps" and C.P.S. to their credit. The lumbermen however, squeezed a close victory over them in the "Y" a short time ago.

The Up-Island squad have just returned from a very successful trip to the interior, where they won four games and dropped one, and they hope to continue their winning streak here Saturday night. The squad will be practically the same as appeared against the C.P.S. Rupert McDonald, skipper and high point man of the team, will be on the forward line with Culk flank him. Talbot will jump at centre. He has been turning in some excellent performances at this position. Joe Ross and Drom will hold down the defence and will be out to check the "Caps" sharpshooters to a standstill.

CAPS WILL BE STRONG

The Victoria team will be out for a win to offset the seven-point defeat the Up-Island crew handed them on the Duncan floor. The "Caps" turned in their best basketball of the season against the crack Chinese team and just seem to have hit their stride. The Capitals will use the same team which humbled the Chinese and hope to show the fans another clean fast exhibition. Preliminary games will be announced later, and will probably find the James Island quintette playing the winner of to-night's V.M.D.-Keating game.

GAMES TO-NIGHT

The games that are to be played at the Y.M.C.A. gymnasium to-night will decide the championships of their respective divisions, as follows: 7:30 Intermediate A, city championship—College vs. Crescents. 8:30 Senior girls, city championship—Fidelis vs. Red Birds.

9:15 Senior B men, semi-final. V.M.D. vs. Keating.

Oarmen To Discuss Standardization Of Lightweight Groups

Philadelphia, Feb. 6.—Members of the National Association of Amateur Oarsmen will confer in Toronto Saturday night on a committee of the Canadian Association of oarsmen concerning the standardization of the lightweight classes in the two countries.

The Canadian lightweight rowing classes are 40 and 150 pounds, while the United States has but one, 145 pounds for club oarsmen.

The colleges in this country also follow out the Canadian policy of 150 pounds. The reason the American organization picked out 145 pounds was because that was the average weight of more than five million men assembled during the world war.

Heeny Will Meet Scott If Gate Is Right, Says Manager

New York, Feb. 6.—Charlie Harvey, Tom Heeny's manager, when informed yesterday for a "world's championship" fight in England between Scott and Heeny, said Heeny was "not much interested in the side bet laid by Scott's backers, though."

Harvey added: "What I am interested in is the state. Provided the terms are all right for Heeny the fight may be arranged."

McDUFFY

By BARRIE PAYNE

CLOUDY, DID YOU HEAR ABOUT JACK McDUFFY? HE GAVE UP GOLF AFTER PLAYING FOR 30 YEARS.

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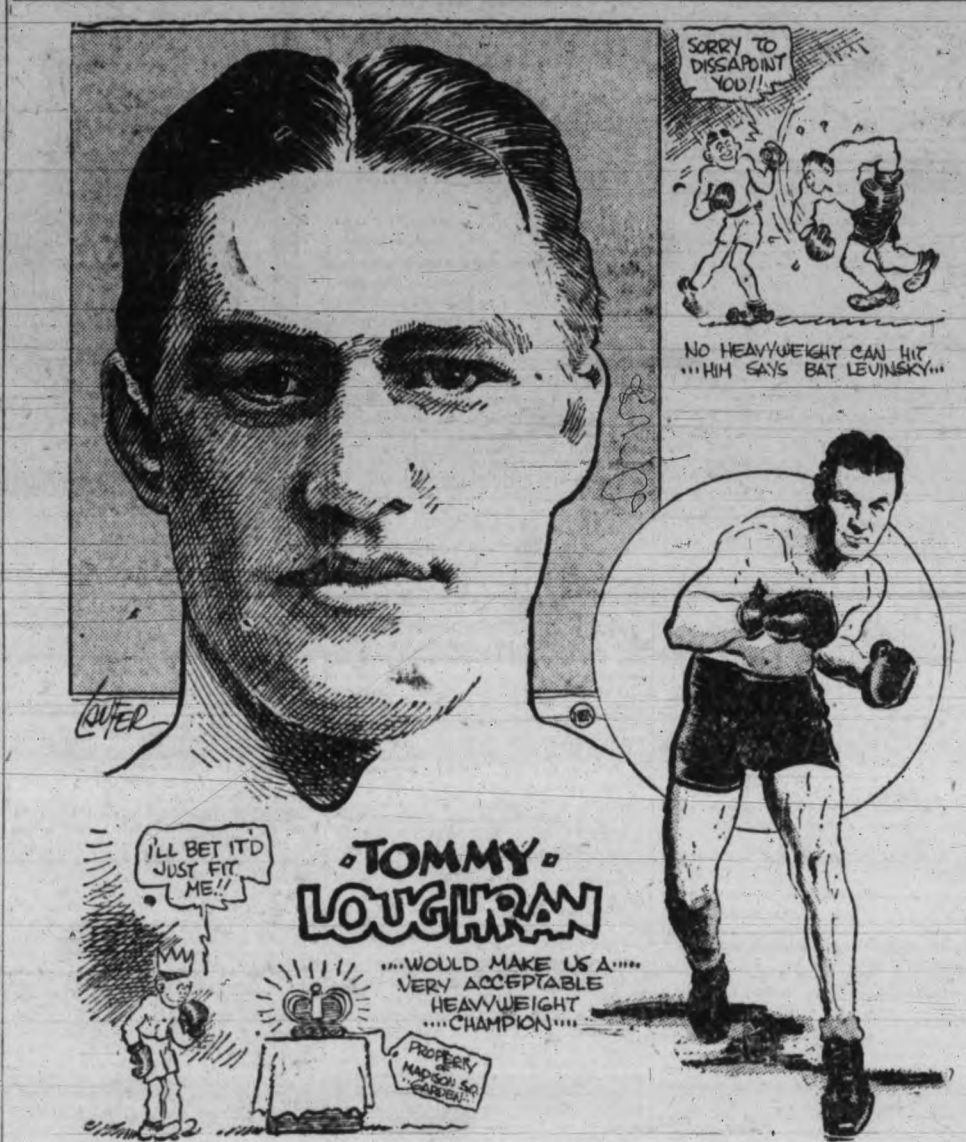
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Why Have Boxing Dukes Ignored Him?



The prospect of witnessing Jack Sharkey and Young Stribling fight for what the Madison Square Garden Corporation deems the right to succeed to Gene Tunney's vacated title, leaves many a sane boxing fan with a very sour taste in the mouth.

Especially so, when on the sidelines sits Tommy Loughran, light heavyweight champion, whom many believe could easily whip the gob and the cautious southern aviator in the same ring.

Just why Tommy has been left completely out of the mix-up to establish a new champion is a mystery, when one considers the ring achievements of the entries.

Sharkey has successfully demonstrated in his fights with Risko, Heeney, De Kuh and Christman he is the world's worst in and out-er and his one-round knockout of Jack Delaney didn't fool anybody. Surely he would not be a champion you would tell your grandchildren about.

Two years ago it was generally accepted Young Stribling was a burned out fighter. His recent string of sensational knockouts at the expense of small town piano movers, doesn't change the minds of the boys who know their leather goods.

Should Stribling ever be recognized as the heavyweight champion, it should meet old Paul Berlenbach a good laugh. When Stribling met Berly, a few years ago, the Georgian was nearly paralyzed with fright and it was too bad they didn't have a gate in the ring that night.

Tommy Loughran is one of the few fighting champions. He has risked his title more times since he has been king of the light-heavy than any other champion.

Although he doesn't flash a terrific knockout wallop, he is the most finished performer in the ring. Take the word of old Pat Levinisky. He says, "There's no heavyweight in the land to-day can hit Loughran. And when you can't hit a man, you can't beat him."

Last night Loughran won a decision from Armand Emanuel in a ten-round bout staged at Los Angeles.

Sharkey Is Working Hard

Boston Gob Goes Through Strenuous Session With Sparring Partners

Miami Beach, Fla., Feb. 6.—Jack Sharkey to-day was prepared for a strenuous session with his sparring partners, while Young Stribling, the Boston sailor's adversary, in the projected battle of Flamingo Park, here, February 27, cast about for some way to "get the feel of the breeze" in his face.

Stribling will not "get the feel of the breeze" by peering over the cockpit of his aeroplane, for he was grounded Monday by Promoter Jack Dempsey's injunction.

The Boston gob went through a hard session yesterday for the cameramen, and will appear in his ring again to-morrow.

Friday he will go to Tampa with Jack Dempsey to witness a boxing match. Sharkey probably will referee one of the matches.

While Stribling held to his nightly programme of two and one-half miles road work, his father-manager conferred with Johnny Buckley, Sharkey's pilot over a referee. No selection is expected, until shortly before hostilities.

Wednesday Soccer

Teams Expect To Resume Play Soon

Although the snow has been rapidly disappearing from the surface of Victoria's playing fields, officials of the Wednesday Football League decided to wait another week before recommencing their activities. At their meeting last night they considered the ground too hard for play and consequently mid-week teams will rest for their third successive week. However, the boys are anxious to get back into the game and hope to resume league matches next week.

Juvenile Soccer

The Victoria West team will hold a practice to-night at the First United gymnasium at 7 o'clock. All players are requested to attend.

The Maple Leafs will hold an important meeting to-morrow night at 7 o'clock at 1812 Cook Street. All players are requested to attend.

Tony Canzoneri And Joey Sangor Meet To-night

Chicago, Feb. 6.—A straight puncher and a hooker will battle for the right to challenge for Tod Morgan's junior lightweight title to-night when Tony Canzoneri and Joey Sangor meet in a ten-round bout at the Coliseum. Canzoneri is a left-hook artist, while Sangor punches straight with both hands.

With the Bowlers

Times Compo last night broke the Quinnettes record of 3,013 points for total aggregate scores when they toppled 3,009 pins in three games which they won from the C.N.R. in the Five-pin fixture played at the Arcade Alley.

S. Jenkins led the scorers with totals of 739 and 317 points in the two classes.

In the Commercial League, Stockers took all games from the Restorer B in a mediocre encounter. D. Holman of Stockers, carried off the individual game and aggregate scoring honors with totals of 198 and 535 points.

Complete scores follow:

C.N.R.

Young 221 219 198—638

A. H. Stewart 131 108 63—302

Hilton 171 145 132—448

Whitehead 173 170 204—547

Low score 133 117 148—393

Totals 829 759 740—2328

Times Compo

Stewart 215 223 223—661

Nute 200 255 143—598

McCallie 123 117 166—406

Paines 249 237 198—684

Jenkins 189 233 317—739

Totals 986 1068 1047—3099

Restorer "B"

Ferdette 118 140 112—370

McBay 131 124 125—380

Peard 136 122 157—415

Peiterson 85 149 154—388

Gagnon 165 155 124—444

Totals 683 699 672—2054

Stocker's

Bowe 125 145 117—377

Holman 165 172 198—535

Richardson 129 159 128—416

Mitchell 145 136 179—460

Logie 121 128 158—407

Totals 685 730 777—2192

Los Angeles, Feb. 6.—Tommy Loughran, light-heavyweight king, for the second time last night won a ten-round decision over Armand Emanuel, San Francisco boxer. Sport critics gave five of the rounds to Loughran and three to Emanuel, with the others called even. Loughran put on a Whirlwind finish in the ninth and tenth rounds after having been knocked to the floor in the seventh for no count.

Emanuel lost a previous encounter to Loughran last June in New York, also by the decision route.

A GREAT UPROAR

When Referee Abe Rothel raised the champion's hand in token of victory, his action was greeted by a great uproar from the fans. However, those gathered around the ring were unanimous in backing up the verdict. Loughran's experience and dazzling left hand had much to do with his triumph. Through the early part of the fight he kept his left hand constantly jabbing and cutting at the San Franciscan, throwing in rights at opportune moments to the head and body.

Emanuel was slow in starting, but once under way cleverly ducked and blocked the champion's punches as he scored with lefts and rights. Loughran ran off with the opening round by a shade, and took the second by a wider margin. The third was Emanuel's, the Bay City fighter landing a terrific right to the jaw shortly after the round opened and beat the champion up to the punch on almost every occasion in the latter part of the session. The fourth was even but Emanuel could have been given a slim edge.

Hard rights to the head that jarred Emanuel gave the champion the fifth and sixth, but the San Franciscan rallied his forces to take the next two.

SCHEDULE IS NOT ADOPTED

National Baseball League Is Unable to Fix Games on Account of Boston

New York, Feb. 6.—The annual schedule meeting of the National Baseball League yesterday failed in its major purposes as the 1929 schedule failed to be adopted.

A series of playing dates had been arranged calling for a number of Sunday games in Boston. A permit for playing these games has not been granted the Boston Braves so the schedule, instead of being ratified, was referred to President John A. Heydler for later action.

If the Braves are permitted to play on Sundays in Boston, the schedule will stand as drafted. If the authorities decline to permit such games, the dates will be rearranged by President Heydler.

VICE-PRESIDENT NAMED

The National League, as a result of yesterday's meeting, has a vice-president for the first time in its history. Barney Dreyfuss, president of the Pittsburgh club, was elected to the newly created honorary position.

The 1929 season will open Tuesday, April 16, five days later than last year, with New York playing at Philadelphia; Brooklyn at Boston; St. Louis at Cincinnati; and Pittsburgh at Chicago. The season will close Sunday, October 6, one week later than the closing date in 1928.

Golf Not So Good For Making Money, Says Walter Hagen

Los Angeles, Feb. 6.—Golf is all right for pleasure, but not so good for making money, Walter Hagen, professional, told Superior Court Judge Marshall McCormick here yesterday.

At the time he made a separate maintenance agreement with his wife, Edna Hagen, under which she seeks to collect \$4,000, he was making much money selling Florida real estate, he said, but added that he lost this job and now must depend on his golf income. He had asked that the agreement be set aside, but the court ordered Mrs. Hagen's suit brought to trial.

Black Hawks Break Their Losing Streak With Combination

Tailenders of National Hockey League, With Object of Finding Team That Will Carry Them Through Next Season, Spring Surprise Win Over Detroit; New York Americans Fall Back on Tight Defence to Defeat Boston 1-0; Rangers and Maroons Attempt to Rough Things; Bun Cook Handed First Match Penalty of Season

Toronto, Feb. 6.—The Chicago Black Hawks, hopeless tailenders of the National Hockey League, admittedly are not trying to get anywhere this season. Their object is the development of a combination that will carry them through next year and it begins to look as if they had found it. Johnny Gottselig, converted from a defence player to a forward, and his running mates, Miller and McKinnon, last night broke a losing streak that had lasted since December 27 with a 1-0 victory over Detroit.

New York Americans, who in a week lost three games and first place in the international group, fell back on their tight defensive and

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Australia Must Score 349 to Win Match

Touring English Cricket Team Scores 383 Runs in Second Innings for Aggregate of 717 in Fourth Cricket Test Match; Wally Hammond Contributes 177; Partnered With Jardine He Adds 273 Runs for New Record for an English Third Wicket Test Match Stand

Adelaide, Australia, Feb. 6.—England to-day set Australia the task of amassing 349 runs to win the fourth cricket test match. England were dismissed in their second innings to-day for 383 runs, giving them an aggregate for the two innings of 717. "Australia scored 369 in their first visit to the wicket. The match goes into its sixth day to-morrow. Wally Hammond contributed 177 to the English second innings total. Jardine, his partner, in a great third wicket stand, scored 98.

A NEW RECORD

Hammond and Jardine added 273 runs, setting up a new record for an English third wicket test match stand.

Just after lunch to-day Jardine was caught out by Woodfull off Oxenham's bowling.

Wickets then began to fall quickly. Hammond's great innings came to a close when he returned a ball to Ryder, the Australian captain, on his own bowling. Tate alone of the rest of the English batsmen could stand up against the attack and he hit a 47. Oxenham was the most successful Australian bowler. His average was four wickets for 67. Woodfull and Jackson opened the Australian second innings and carefully played out time. Scores: England, first innings, 334; England, second innings, 383.

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| Hobbs, c Oldfield, b Hendry | 1 |
| Butcliffe, c Oldfield, b A'Beckett | 17 |
| Hammond, c and b Ryder | 177 |
| Jardine, c Woodfull, b Oxenham | 98 |
| Hendren, c Bradman, b Blackie | 11 |
| Chapman, c Woodfull, b Blackie | 0 |
| Lardwood lbw, Oxenham | 5 |
| Geary, c and b Grimmett | 4 |
| Tate lbw, Oxenham | 4 |
| White, not out | 15 |
| Duckworth lbw, Oxenham | 1 |
| Extras | 16 |
| Total | 383 |
| Australia, first innings, 369 | |
| Australia, second innings | 7 |
| Woodfull, not out | 15 |
| Jackson, not out | 1 |
| Extras | 1 |
| Total for no wickets | 24 |

"Young" Stribling To Stay On Land

Miami Beach, Fla., Feb. 6.—W. L. "Young" Stribling announced last night that he will obey Jack Dempsey's injunction against flying in an aeroplane or riding a motorcycle until after his fight with Jack Sharkey here February 27.

"I was going to get a lot of recreation out of my plane before the fight, but it looks like I'll have to use an automobile or 'shank horses' if I want to feel the breeze in my face," the Georgia fighter says. The injunction, requested Monday by Dempsey's attorneys, had not been served on Stribling last night.

Toronto Leafs Try To Obtain Cleghorn

Toronto, Feb. 6.—Officials of the Toronto Club of the National Hockey League disclosed yesterday they recently sought the services of Sprague Cleghorn, veteran defenseman.

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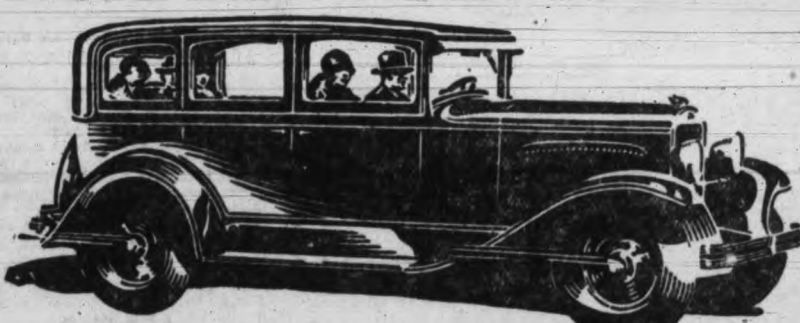
RIFLE SHOOTING

Gunnery Hall, Rabey and Winter won first, second and third prizes respectively in the sweepstakes held by the 5th C.A. weekly shoot at the Armories last night. The 55th and 56th Batteries will shoot on Friday evening, while the 58th Battery will shoot on Tuesday to prevent the rifle practice from interrupting training.

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| 55th Battery | |
| Gunnery Hall | 49 |
| Gunnery Clarke | 48 |
| Sergeant Hatcher | 48 |
| Major Crockett | 47 |
| Gunnery Smith | 47 |
| Gunnery Goodwin | 37 |
| 56th Battery | |
| Captain Gadsden | 47 |
| Gunnery Rabey | 47 |
| Gunnery Satterthwaite | 43 |
| Gunnery Winter | 37 |
| 5th C.A. Band | |
| Bandman Smith | 48 |
| Bandman Drysdale | 47 |
| Bandman Tucker | 47 |
| Bandman H. Sabiston | 45 |
| Bandman Young | 39 |
| 56th Battery | |
| Sergeant Rudge | 47 |
| Sergeant-Major Hooper | 41 |



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CHAPTER XXVII

I NEARLY LOSE A BOUT

During that ideal period of life, enjoying the fruits of my fighting career, I engaged in one battle in which I came nearer losing than in any other fight I ever had. I ran against a customer that reminded me more of Tom Sharkey than anything I ever battled against, and he was just as game as the stocky sailor ever was.

The fight had no promoter, there was a small but quite enthusiastic audience, and most of them were rooting for my opponent before it was over. It was the only fight in which I ever yelled for help—and I might as well yell, because no one came to my rescue.

The battle was entirely impromptu. I had declared a thousand times I was done with fighting, but in this case I had no choice. It was a few months after I returned from the McKenzie River trip, and after playing around Los Angeles and meeting my old friends, I began to long for the mountains and the camp life again. I organized a party, consisting of Warren Hopperstead, Harry Burt, Wild Bill Russ and myself and we went for a drive hunt to the Wadley ranch, which was about fifty or sixty miles from Los Angeles. We were returning home, driving by night and amusing ourselves by shooting rabbits from the car. The headlights attracted the rabbits to the roadway and when the lights caught them they became dazed and ran in the lighted track ahead of the car, giving us great sport shooting at them.

While we were running along slowly I saw something in the bushes and a pair of eyes shining. I called to the driver to stop the car, and swinging it around we threw the headlights across the brush.

I jumped out of the car, grabbing Harry Burt's shotgun and started into the bush to learn what sort of an animal I had spotted and, when I kicked around in the brush a big badger jumped out and started to run across a ploughed field.

The night was a beautiful moonlight one, and I started in pursuit of the badger and, gaining on it as it started to double back, I fired two barrels into the animal. The badger rolled over, doubled itself into a knot and did not move. To make certain it was dead I walked up and kicked it and it came to life with a start and rushed me, for all the world like Tom Sharkey did when we were fighting at Coney Island.

The badger got to close quarters before I had a chance to reload the gun and was trying to get hold of me with its teeth. I jumped back and struck at it with the shot gun, breaking the stock off and side stepping just in time to avoid his rush. Using the barrel as a club I fought him off, but he kept boring in, rushing me every second and I had no way of stopping him as I had done Sharkey.

No matter how hard I hit that badger it kept coming, and as I was getting winded from dodging and running at the fellows in the car to come and help me. They refused to move, hooting for the badger, and laughing at me.

COMICAL SCENE

The scene must have been a comical one, from their safe grandstand seats in the automobile, but it was far from funny for me. I was very tired—and that badger—which we named Sharkey—refused to be beaten. It would retreat, and charge again, fighting with claws and teeth and I knew if it got to close quarters I was in for a worse cutting up than Fitzsimmons gave me at San Francisco. It was up to me to win that fight, for I could not expect any help from my friends.

Finally, when I was leg weary and slowed down, I managed to hit it on the head with the gun barrel and knocked it out. I counted at least ten over him, then, thinking I had won, picked him up by the leg and carried him over to where my friends were.

sitting when not rolling around in the car laughing at me.

"Sharkey gets the decision," yelled Wild Bill Russ, with tears rolling down his cheeks from laughing.

A GREAT FIGHTER

I dropped the badger to the ground and it recovered from the knockout and came at me again, harder than ever, and we had to fight another round and with all those fellows yelling and laughing I beat that badger with the gun barrels until I bent them and finally hit him a terrific wallop, knocking him out and clubbed him over the head with the gun barrels three or four times.

By that time I was wringing wet with perspiration and tired enough to drop, so I picked the animal up, threw him into the back seat and joined in the laugh. We turned the machine around and started on. Wild Bill was riding in the back and, after we had gone a couple of miles he let out a yell and came climbing over the back of the seat.

"That darned thing has come to life again," he yelled, and he and Warren Hopperstead scrambled to escape. Bill finally grabbed the badger and threw it out of the car. We all jumped out again. I hit the badger several times over the head with the gun barrels, and Bill drew his revolver and shot it.

"Now," he said, "I know he's dead."

A minute later the badger got to its feet and started for the bushes. I grabbed Bill's gun, shot it through the head and finished the toughest badger I ever found. He weighed over sixty pounds, and for gameness I never saw its match, excepting Tom Sharkey. Bill brought the badger into Los Angeles and it mounted and named it Tom.

I was all in after the fight and after we had been riding half an hour or so, laughing over the battle in the moonlight, Harry Burt had an idea.

"Jim, whose gun did you have?" he asked.

"My own I think," I replied, lifting the broken gun.

"You did like heck!" he yelled. "That's my gun and it cost me \$35."

I had to buy him a new gun, but the fun was worth it.

Riding into Los Angeles that night I was more tired than I ever had been after a fight.

"That settles it," I remarked. "I can see I wouldn't last ten rounds in a fight now."

I realized that while physically in fine shape, I was not in fighting condition—and there is a great difference between being physically fit for ordinary active life and fit for a hard fight.

(To Be Continued)

SCORING RECORDS

| F.C.H.L. | Scores and Penalties | | Pen. Total |
|----------------------------|----------------------|----|------------|
| | G. | A. | |
| Kelly, Victoria | 11 | 5 | 22 |
| Brown, Seattle | 11 | 5 | 22 |
| Somers, Vancouver | 8 | 4 | 30 |
| Evans, Victoria | 9 | 3 | 21 |
| Conn, Portland | 9 | 3 | 21 |
| Bandman, Vancouver | 8 | 3 | 21 |
| Phillips, Vancouver | 5 | 5 | 10 |
| McAdam, Vancouver | 7 | 2 | 24 |
| Harris, Seattle | 6 | 5 | 19 |
| Dewine, Victoria and Port. | 5 | 5 | 10 |
| Walker, Seattle | 8 | 0 | 32 |
| Tee, Portland | 8 | 0 | 32 |
| Daly, Seattle and Port. | 5 | 3 | 20 |
| Jawa, Vancouver | 3 | 3 | 12 |
| Redpath, Victoria | 6 | 1 | 13 |
| McGoddick, Portland | 5 | 2 | 24 |
| Love, Seattle | 3 | 0 | 6 |
| Berland, Vic. and B.C. | 1 | 6 | 36 |
| H. Runge, Victoria | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Brennan, Vancouver | 4 | 1 | 16 |
| Armstrong, Portland | 3 | 2 | 16 |
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| Cummins, Vancouver | 4 | 0 | 24 |
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| P. Runge, Port and Vic. | 3 | 0 | 12 |
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| Omundsen, Victoria | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Johnson, Portland | 1 | 0 | 2 |
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| Tumlin, Portland | 0 | 0 | 12 |

Blow to Head Causes Death Of Fighter

Eddie Cartwright Dies in Seattle From Hemorrhage After Hitting Canvas

Diseased Heart Might Have Caused Death; Pulmotor Fails to Revive Negro

Seattle, Feb. 6.—The blow which sent Eddie Cartwright, thirty-two-year-old negro welterweight of Portland, to the canvas and his death, last night, came while a ten-round bill which would legalize professional fighting in Washington was awaiting consideration of the state legislature. The blow itself did not cause the death of the veteran, an autopsy revealed. It was the last of a battery of punches to the jaw from the gloves of Cecil Geyzel, twenty-one, Seattle.

A hemorrhage, resulting from the rupture of arteries at the base of the brain when Cartwright's head struck the canvas, caused his death, Coroner W. J. Jones reported. The examination also revealed a diseased heart which, consulting physicians said, might have caused his death from over-exertion in any form.

This condition was such that it could not have been discovered without a blood test, explained Doctors J. T. Moriarty and Abe Poske, boxing commissioners, who certified Cartwright for the fight. Normally, they do not give blood tests, they said, and there was no occasion for calling for one in the case of the negro, who had withstood the pummeling of many ring battles.

FRUITLESS EFFORT

Cartwright was knocked out in the third round of the second preliminary. When his seconds were unable to revive him he was carried to a dressing room where he died. Firemen and physicians with a pulmotor worked over him in a fruitless effort to bring him back to life.

Meanwhile two more six-round matches were fought in the ring before Chief of Police Louis Forbes stopped the show.

Cartwright was married, but had no children.

The death fight came at the lowest ebb of a heart-breaking winter for sport promoters. While previous indoor seasons have seen a fight at the Crystal Pool every Tuesday night, almost half the Tuesdays of this winter have passed with the pool dark.

The boxing bill, sought by sports fans for many legislative sessions, has already been violently attacked by ministerial and church organizations throughout the state.

HOCKEY PROGRESS

| F.C.H.L. | Scores and Penalties | | Pen. Total |
|----------------------------|----------------------|----|------------|
| | G. | A. | |
| Kelly, Victoria | 11 | 5 | 22 |
| Brown, Seattle | 11 | 5 | 22 |
| Somers, Vancouver | 8 | 4 | 30 |
| Evans, Victoria | 9 | 3 | 21 |
| Conn, Portland | 9 | 3 | 21 |
| Bandman, Vancouver | 8 | 3 | 21 |
| Phillips, Vancouver | 5 | 5 | 10 |
| McAdam, Vancouver | 7 | 2 | 24 |
| Harris, Seattle | 6 | 5 | 19 |
| Dewine, Victoria and Port. | 5 | 5 | 10 |
| Walker, Seattle | 8 | 0 | 32 |
| Tee, Portland | 8 | 0 | 32 |
| Daly, Seattle and Port. | 5 | 3 | 20 |
| Jawa, Vancouver | 3 | 3 | 12 |
| Redpath, Victoria | 6 | 1 | 13 |
| McGoddick, Portland | 5 | 2 | 24 |
| Love, Seattle | 3 | 0 | 6 |
| Berland, Vic. and B.C. | 1 | 6 | 36 |
| H. Runge, Victoria | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Brennan, Vancouver | 4 | 1 | 16 |
| Armstrong, Portland | 3 | 2 | 16 |
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Sidelights By SOLO

Victoria Cubs performed right nobly last night in face of a defensive machine which was so good it nearly all times. Their frantic efforts went for naught, and as a result they are still lone occupants of the cellar position in the F.C.H.L.

Perhaps to many fans it looked as if the Cubs held an edge on the Esks throughout the game, but it was evident the Seattle squad was content with defensive tactics. After the visitors established their one-goal lead in the final canto they sat on their haunches and waited for the Cubs to lead.

"Porky" Levine, the only Jewish goalie in existence (so they say), is due for some of the bouquets for the Seattle victory undoubtedly. He distinguished himself as the "wizard" he is supposed to be.

Earl Robertson handled everything he could get his stick on nicely, and the tallies which beat him were ticked all the way.

The forward pass stunt which Seattle was reported to have pulled with such excellent effect in the Sound City last week was not much in evidence last night, although it was used to advantage on a few occasions. Daly tried to get away with, loitering near the Victoria net ones, but Firen soon halted things immediately and called him back.

"Young Smoky" Harris may be a classy looking player when he gets on the ice or he may be not, according to one's way of thinking. At any rate a man who spends so much time on the penalty bench is a drawback to his team. Out of eleven penalties issued last night, he was the central figure on four occasions.

It pleases the heart to see the Cubs gradually getting out of their "solo" stuff. There are still a few of the boys who like to "hog" the rubber, however, and Coach O'Meara should check up on them. Kelly seems to be the only man on the team who can engineer a lone rush with efficient results, and once in a while it would be his advantage to pass more often. You've got to hand it to him nevertheless.

Although not on the ice for a great deal of the time, "Ossie" Omundsen worked hard when he got the chance. He and Leacock, last year's amateur stars, are both making themselves

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known to opposing squads and their work, if not always of the best, is at least wholehearted.

Whether it was the cold North wind outside or the chill atmosphere caused by the Cubs' loss in Seattle is hard to say, but the fans were not there in customary force last night.

HORSE RACING

Sia Juana, Feb. 6.—Rudolph Spreckels' War Fame colt Soother accounted for the San Felipe Purse race, the principal number on yesterday's programme. The big colt was at top form, and when he shot to the front in back stretch, the conclusion was foregone. Jockey Willie Kelsay, hero of the very first Cofroth Handicap, saved ground on the last curve and kept his mount in front until the end, winning by two lengths from Longridge, with the second choice, Shasta Negra, a similar distance back. Soother's time was 1:38 1-5 for the mile.

Mrs. C. C. Emmert again had her good racing luck when Simony popped down in front in the sixth race, a sprint of six furlongs. Simony's exhibition was just as impressive and easy as on his previous appearances on Sunday. Vittoria opened a strong favorite with Ladentelle second choice. When the barrier was sprung a contest for first honors was begun between Simony and Longridge. They raced head and head for the entire journey, which Simony finally captured by a length. Ladentelle was always up close and closed strongly to menace Longridge. The distance was covered by the winner in 1:11 4-5.

Jockey "Dinty" Lyons had a good day, riding three winners. Results follow: First race, three and a half furlongs—1, Gee Whizz, \$27.60, \$7.60, \$4.80; 2, Aivos, \$8.20, \$5.60; 3, Norab, \$7.60. Time 42.

Second race, five furlongs—1, Perry Britz, \$13.40, \$4.20, \$3.20; 2, Omarsan, \$3.00, \$2.60; 3, Yucca, \$3.80. Time 1:00 2-5.

Third race, six furlongs—1, Brunswick, \$10.20, \$6.20, \$2.80; 2, Broadmoor, \$5.40, \$3.60; 3, Brian Kent, \$3.40. Time 1:12.

Fourth race, one mile—1, Maunso, \$2.50, \$4.00, \$3.00; 2, Louis Wright, \$14.40, \$6.60; 3, Brian Kent, \$3.40. Time 1:42.

Fifth race, one mile—1, The Orleans, \$6.00, \$3.20, \$2.80; 2, My Daddy, \$6.60, \$4.00; 3, Ojo, \$4.00. Time 1:40 4-5.

Sixth race, six furlongs—1, Simony,

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Happy Valley

H. Webber, Luxton Road, accompanied by his daughter, Flossie, and Mrs. Leslie, left Sunday en route for San Francisco, Cal., where they will attend the wedding of Mr. Webber's daughter, Miss Violet Webber, on February 9.

Mrs. John Stockand has as her guest Mrs. Jacobs of Alaska.

Happy Valley School reopened on Monday, having been closed during the last week owing to inclement weather.

The February meeting of the Luxton and Happy Valley Women's Institute will be held Thursday evening, February 7, at the home of Mrs. Harry Baxter, Deerfoot Lodge. Committees will be appointed for the ensuing year. An interesting debate will take place.

SAANICH FARMERS SPEAK UP

Witnesses at Afternoon Session of Commission Urge Government Control

Secessionists Would Unite With North Saanich If Given That Chance

That there was no profit to be made on Saanich farms under the conditions that pertained up to within a year ago, and little prospect of improving that condition as long as farming communities were tied to urban centres and their needs, was the burden of evidence adduced by Saanich secessionists before Judge Lampan, special commissioner, yesterday afternoon.

In a three-hour hearing in the afternoon, following the resumption of the case in a two-hour session yesterday morning, Judge Lampan heard evidence from land owners engaged in both large and smaller enterprises in Wards Six, Five, and that part of Ward Four which is joining in the petition to the Provincial Government for secession from Saanich municipality.

LOOK TO NORTH
Witness concurred in stating that

they preferred to go back directly under Government control as an unorganized district rather than continue as it present. Many said that if North Saanich would agree to the plan, they would like to be incorporated in a rural municipality taking in that additional area, but excluding Sidney. This would embrace most of the actual producing farms in the Peninsula and give a united community of common interests, they argued.

Witnesses were less certain of what they would suggest by way of a remedy for present ills and few showed any desire to remain a party to the present system whereby Wards Six, Five and the affected part of Ward Four contribute taxation to a joint budget with the inner urban wards.

One councillor of the Saanich Council was placed on the stand during the afternoon. Councillor Oldfield, and his evidence followed closely that given by the farming witnesses called. He, too, had no solution to offer, other than concurrence in the suggestion that the petitioners should secede from the municipality and return to Government control, pending a final settlement of their difficulties.

FOUR YEARS' LOSSES

David Fowler, authorized agent for J. A. Sayward, told of losses on the Sayward farm in four years between 1924 to 1927 inclusive, of \$11,735, as against a profit made last year of \$943. The farm included 309 acres, of which only 175 was arable, with 110 acres of swamp and 74 acres of rock in the remaining portion. The land was assessed at \$44,690, and the improvements at \$40,195, on which \$1,521 in taxes was paid per annum.

In cross-examination, E. L. Tait, counsel for the municipality, sought to show that the Sayward farm and subdivision included land that had, or would have, a high speculative value as settlement increased. Witness admitted that settlement was growing nearer, but expressed dissatisfaction with taxation, and added that profits

on the farm now only arose from the operations in grazing stock.

In rebuttal to G. H. O'Halloran, counsel for the secessionists, Mr. Fowler said Mr. Sayward had spent \$4,000 on a road through the subdivision, which was opened in 1916, and 60 acres of which still remained unsold.

MANY ACRES IDLE
Henry A. Porter, of Robert Porter & Sons Limited, told of the operation of farming on 430 acres in ward four. The land was assessed at \$25,490, and improvements at \$16,775, with 100 acres under cultivation, and 330 acres idle save for eight weeks pasturage in the year. The farm paid approximately three per cent, with \$55 in taxes and \$45 in insurance yearly, and a profit of \$1,300 without interest on the investment or depreciation. The farm would be a loss if it were not for its lease for dairy uses, said Mr. Porter.

In cross-examination to Mr. Tait, witness stated he had offered a portion of the land last week to a man for \$45 an acre, and the offer had been refused.

J. H. Reid, of Ward Five, said he controlled 47 acres, of which 24 were arable, and the balance in rock and bush. He had recently sold 50 acres in rear of this land to others for \$500 on terms, though it had been assessed for \$1,500. Witness admitted a \$7,000 home on the property affected his assessment, but contended his tax bills were still too high. The land was rented for \$235 a year, and he paid \$127 in taxes, using the house and one acre it stood upon.

IMPROVEMENTS DEFINED
At this juncture it was explained to the commissioner that improvements for taxation purposes could include clearing, ditching, fencing and a number of other additions apart from the actual buildings usually thought of as improvements. It was under this head that Saanich farmers, until recently, had been subjected to an illegal tax, contended Mr. O'Halloran.

In cross-examination to Mr. Tait,



Annual Statement

(CONDENSED)

Year ending December 31st, 1928

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|---|------------------|
| New Business Issued | \$ 80,748,191.00 |
| Business in Force | 547,461,360.00 |
| Income | 26,674,980.38 |
| Assets | 107,261,626.93 |
| Liabilities | 103,107,515.31 |
| Gross Surplus Earned | 5,446,849.50 |
| Provision for Future Profits to Policyholders | 9,808,893.00 |
| Unassigned Profits and Contingency Reserve | 4,154,111.62 |

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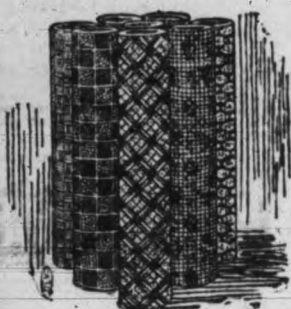
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Three-room cottage furnished complete, all ready to step right in. \$375.00

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MISSIONS WORK IS EXPLAINED

Baptist Foreign Missions Reviewed by Rev. H. E. Stillwell

The work of the Canadian Baptist Foreign Mission Board was reviewed on Monday evening at First Baptist Church, by Rev. H. E. Stillwell, D.D., of Toronto, general secretary. Rev. Henry Knox presided, and Rev. James Strachan and Rev. F. W. McKinnon took part in the meeting.

In an address which dealt with present-day needs in Bolivia and among the Telugus in India, the two mission fields in which the Canadian Baptists work, Dr. Stillwell gave most encouraging reports. The Telugus were responding to the ministry of the 100 missionaries and the 1,100 native Christian colleagues, he said. In the ninety-six churches there were a membership of about 20,000, and during the last year 1,117 were baptized and received into the membership of the churches.

BOLIVIA DIFFICULT. Bolivia was described as one of the most difficult mission fields in the world. Heroic and faithful service, and persecution borne by the missionaries for twenty-five years, were now bearing fruit. The work has never been so hopeful, Dr. Stillwell considered.

The rising cost of the work in these fields had created a hard problem, as deflection of some churches from the main supporting units in Canada had taken place. The Foreign Mission Board has been encouraged by the liberality of individuals and churches. Dr. Stillwell thanked the local churches for their support.

Announcement was made that a veteran missionary, Miss S. I. Hatch, twice decorated by the King, who has spent forty-two years in India, will speak in two Baptist churches next Sunday.

PUBLIC OPINION A FACTOR FOR PEACE

Mr. Justice Macdonald Addresses Women's Canadian Club

A plea for the formation of a sound, sane public opinion as one of the greatest factors in the cause of world peace, was made by Hon. M. A. Macdonald, of the British Columbia Court of Appeal, before the Women's Canadian Club yesterday afternoon, his eloquent and masterly discourse being followed with keen interest by the large gathering. Mrs. C. C. Spofford, the president, supplemented the hearty applause which greeted the speaker with a few words of appreciation.

During the afternoon notice was given to the club of the intention to amend the constitution, the changes to be brought up for discussion at the meeting on February 19, when Major F. J. Ney, organizing secretary of the National Council of Education, will be the speaker.

Tuesday next at the Amphion Hall, the club will hold its annual bridge party. Table reservation may be made to the secretary, Mrs. H. P. Crowe, 2248 W. G. Wilson and Mr. Beverley Fyfe delighted the gathering yesterday afternoon with vocal duets, Mrs. C. C. Warm lending admirable support at the piano.

Conviction Leads To Resignation Of Treasurer Of Ohio

Columbus, Ohio, Feb. 6.—Impeachment proceedings against State Treasurer Bert B. Buckley, under conviction in federal court here for attempted bribery and conspiracy to violate the national prohibition law, were halted last night when Buckley submitted an unconditional resignation to Governor Myers Y. Cooper.

The Governor announced he would accept the resignation and State Auditor Joseph T. Tracy would take charge of the Treasury pending the appointment of a successor.

Meanwhile a disbarment action was ordered instituted at Cincinnati against two attorneys, John L. Schrimper and Adolph Gruber, with whom Buckley was found guilty of conspiring to arrange a system of "tip-ping" Cincinnati breweries when federal raids were to be made. Schrimper, along with the brew master of the Jackson Brewing Company at Cincinnati, is awaiting sentence upon a plea of guilty. Gruber was granted immunity for his testimony, which aided in the indictment of the State Treasurer. Buckley's attorneys have filed a motion for a new trial.

SASKATCHEWAN POOL SENDS OUT CHECKS

Regina, Feb. 6.—Checks are being distributed by Saskatchewan Pool Elevators Limited, to wheat pool members, returning to each his proportionate share of the surplus earnings of the elevator system for the crop year 1927-28.

Distribution totals \$1,430,791. The payment is being made on the basis of 1½ cents per bushel for grain delivered through pool country elevators and 1 cent a bushel for grain delivered to pool terminals over the platform. This is the third payment on the cash covering the excess charges refund which has been made to pool members. The amount of the surplus earnings of the system during 1925-26 was returned to growers in February, 1927, and was \$476,000. This figure jumped to \$1,275,000 for 1926-27.

Royal Oak

Royal Oak, Feb. 6.—There were seven couples taking part in the Badminton tournament in Royal Oak Community Hall on Saturday evening. The winning couple being Miss Betty Little and Gordon Massey.

Mr. McPherson of Saskatchewan has purchased a cottage from N. Craig on North Quadra Street where he is now residing.

Harold Turner of Alberta, formerly of Royal Oak, has been renewing old acquaintances in the district.

J. Oliver, East Road, who has been ill for the past week, is able to be about again.

Three Seasonable Offerings From the Drug Department

Ovaltine
The English health beverage. A very reliable standard tonic for children and adults. Prices, 50¢, 75¢ and \$1.25. Family size \$1.50.

Pinnand's All-purpose Cream
A preparation embodying the features of a vanishing, cleansing and astringent cream. Large size jar \$2.00.

Powder Compacts
A new and attractive shape made from nickel silver. The service and beauty combination makes this offering an outstanding bargain at 95¢.

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Stainless Cutlery at Special Prices

Sheffield Stainless Steel Knives
With round xylomite handles. Every knife is guaranteed perfect and well balanced.

Dessert Knives, price, six for \$2.70.

Dinner knives, price, six for \$3.39.

Stainless Carving Sets
Consisting of knife and fork with stag or xylomite handles. The knife has a scimitar shaped blade and can be sharpened like an ordinary steel knife. Special at \$3.79.

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Good time-keepers with plain dials and loud-ringing alarms. 98¢.

Special, each 98¢.

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Pure Food Supplies

Finest Quality New Zealand Creamery Butter, per lb. 47¢.

3 lbs. for \$1.39.

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3 lbs. for \$1.36.

Pure Bulk Lard, per lb. 18¢.

3 lbs. for 52¢.

Shamrock Brand Side Bacon, sliced, per lb. 53¢.

Seal of Quality Peameal Back Bacon, per lb. 45¢.

Imported French Roquefort Cheese, per lb. 45¢.

Ripe Gorgonzola Cheese, per lb. 45¢.

Swift's Premium Boiled Ham, per lb. 55¢.

Sliced Corned Beef, per lb. 39¢.

Sliced Ham Bologna, per lb. 50¢.

GROCERIES

King-Beach Pure Apricot Jam, 4-lb. tin 52¢.

Libby's California White Asparagus, 1½ lb. tin 33¢.

Libby's California Green Asparagus, 1½ lb. tin 31¢.

Libby's California Bartlett Peas, No. 2½ tin 36¢.

Del Monte Brand Canned Apricots, No. 2 tin 25¢.

Del Monte Brand Hawaiian Sliced Pineapple, No. 1½ quart tin 31¢.

3 tins for 95¢.

Del Monte Brand Hawaiian Sliced Pineapple, No. 1 flat tin 14¢.

3 tins for 40¢.

California Seedless Raisins, 2½ lb. bulk 25¢.

Finest Quality Manchurian Shell Walnuts, pieces, per lb. 38¢.

Re-cleaned Australian Currants, per lb. 49¢.

3 lbs. for 147¢.

Amery's Original Bath Oliver Biscuits, per tin 75¢.

FRUIT AND VEGETABLES

Sweet Navel Oranges, per dozen at 30¢, 45¢, 60¢ and 75¢.

California Grapefruit, 4 for 25¢.

And 6 for 25¢.

Florida Grapefruit, each 15¢ and 20¢.

Choice Table Apples—Winesaps and Yellow Newtowns, 3 lbs. for 25¢.

Choice White Cabbage, per lb. 10¢.

California Celery, per stick 20¢.

Fresh Green Spinach, 2 lbs. for 25¢.

California New Carrots, 2 bunches for 25¢.

California Cauliflower, each 25¢.

—Main Floor, HBC



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These Suites will give good service as well as satisfaction from the view-point of appearance. They represent some of the best values we have offered for a long time. Each Suite consists of eight pieces—buffet, table and six chairs.

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In large sizes with long buffet. The chairs have brown leather slip seats. February Sale \$116.50

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Large Walnut Suite

Of beautiful finish and pleasingly proportioned design. Reg. \$227.50. February Sale price \$185.00

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Walnut Dining Suites

In latest designs with large turned legs. There is a shaded finished buffet, extension table and set of six chairs with blue leather seats. February Sale price \$145.00

\$14.50 Down

and balance in twelve monthly payments.

Six-piece Dining Suites

In either dark solid oak or walnut finish and consisting of small buffet, extension table and set of four chairs. Regular \$119.50. February Sale price \$87.50

\$8.75 Down

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Solid Walnut Dining Table and Six Chairs

This is a particularly fine Table of solid walnut, beautifully designed. The six chairs to match are upholstered in genuine blue leather. Sale price for the seven pieces \$132.50

\$13.25 down; balance in twelve monthly payments



New Coats For Spring

With New Touches That Label Them Emphatically 1929

Among the many new arrivals in our Ready-to-wear Section are some very modern Coats in both sports and tailored styles. Foremost are the new collars that stand high at the back, often supported by a chic bow or artfully arranged scarf. Long scarf ties are also shown and ornamental backs; also newly styled pockets, decorated with buttons or heavy silk stitching.

The materials favor small irregular checks and these are frequently shown with bias trimmings of self material. Particularly new are the basket weaves in pastel and natural shades. All are well lined throughout and priced at

16.50 to 19.50

New Skirts Imported From England

These are something quite new in tailored Skirts for golf and general wear. They are of rough and smooth tweeds and novelty fabrics. There are some very striking designs and no two alike; also conventional patterns in subdued colors featuring smooth-faced plaids, checks and diagonals. The wrap-around styles have pleats to one side while others are buttoned from waist to hem. The hip measurements are from 36 to 42 inches. Priced at, each \$8.95



Smart New Felts For Spring

Here are four dozen new Hats, light in weight with insets of fine straw in many different clever designs. Closely fitting brims are featured; also small and medium brims. Head sizes are from 21 to 23 inches. The color range is very attractive and includes the new light shades as well as navy and black. Special price

\$2.95

—Second Floor, HBC

Women's and Misses' New Craysheen Frocks

Usual \$5.75 to \$6.50 Values, for \$3.95

We have a new shipment of these smart printed and tailored Craysheen Frocks, specially purchased and representing one of the best values of the New Year. There are 12 styles, including dresses for the younger miss or matron in tailored styles. These are pleasing floral-patterns with pleated skirts and belted numbers. Colors are sand, rosewood, powder, peach, rose, sky. Also white and black sizes 16 to 44. House Dress Section \$3.95

New Butterfly Skirts for Girls

These Smart Pleated Skirts are more popular than ever for sports and school wear. The accordion pleats are on a muslin bodice and the skirts are shown in scarlet, sand, powder blue and navy.

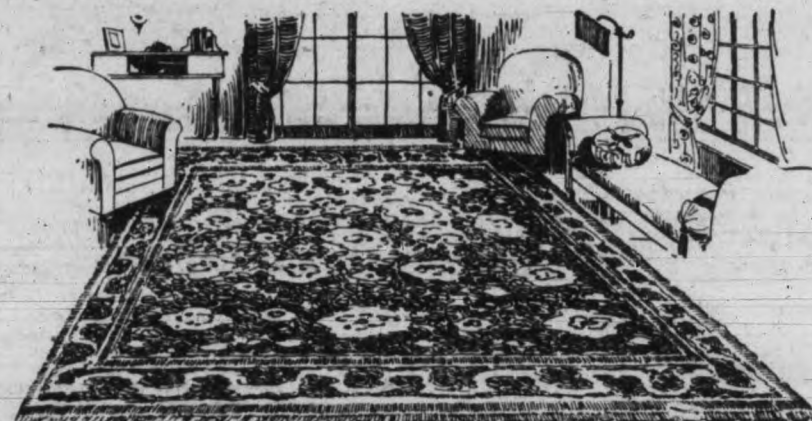
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With rounded backs and spring seats upholstered in cretonnes. The colors are buff or fawn. Sale price \$14.95

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Births, Marriages, Deaths

BORN

SHAWER—On Feb. 2, at Royal Jubilee Hospital, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. D. Shawer of 140 Medina Street.

DIED

CLIFF—Funeral service for the late Herbert Rhodes Cliff, who accidentally met his death at Elk Lake, Sunday February 3, will be held Thursday afternoon, February 7, at 2:30 o'clock, from the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home, 900 Quadra Street. The late Mr. Cliff was born in Wales nineteen years ago, and has been a resident of this city for the past twelve years. He is survived by his father and mother, 609 Howe Street, Vancouver, and two sisters, Miss Linda Cliff of this city, and Miss Patricia Cliff, Vancouver.

MOLYNEUX—On Tuesday, Feb. 5, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Violet Morrison, Margaret Anna Molyneux, aged 75 years, born in Carp, Ontario, and a resident of this city for the past twenty-five years. The late Mrs. Molyneux is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Morrison; two grandsons, Hugh Molyneux and Allan Donald Morrison; one brother, Mr. S. S. Carstairs of St. Louis, Louisiana; also nephews and nieces.

The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon, Feb. 7, at 3 o'clock, from the Sands Funeral Chapel, Rev. H. P. S. L. will officiate and remain in the city to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

MACLEW—The funeral service for the late Elizabeth Kathleen Maclew (nee Betty Brinkman), aged twenty-seven years, a native of Victoria, Mrs. Maclew is survived by her mother, residing at 2230 Truitt Street, and two brothers and four sisters.

The remains are resting at the Thompson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, where the funeral will be held on Friday, Feb. 8, at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. A. B. Owen will officiate and interment will be made in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

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NEWS IN BRIEF

F. G. G. Lucas, K.C., legal adviser to the Foreign Trade Bureau of the Vancouver Board of Trade, will address the Rotarians at luncheon in the Empress Hotel to-morrow. His subject will be "Travelers' Tales." During the meeting Miss Stella Burton will sing.

"The Genius of Haliburton" is the subject chosen by Prof. Harvey of the University of British Columbia, for his address before the University Extension Association to-morrow evening at 8.15 o'clock. The lecture will be delivered in Victoria College.

The executive meeting of the Victoria Conservative Association which was to have been held this evening at the Conservative House, Campbell Building, has been postponed owing to the death of one of the members of the executive, A. S. Burgess. The meeting will be held Wednesday.

With the completed budget required to be fixed by February 15, the City School Board will sit in estimates session this evening at 8 o'clock, when the whole of the time will be given to budget preparation. Further meetings will be necessary to complete the work. It was stated at the office of the Board to-day.

Impressive Rites For Funeral Of Miss K. Daniels

Impressive services were held at the Metropolitan United Church yesterday afternoon for the late Miss K. Daniels, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Daniels, 601 McPherson Avenue. The cortege left the residence and proceeded direct to the church, where Rev. W. J. Sippell, D.D., assisted by Rev. E. R. McLean and Rev. A. E. Roberts of Vancouver, conducted the service in the presence of a large congregation.

Among the many friends attending the service were Dr. E. M. Pearce, superintendent of the Royal Jubilee Hospital, and Captain George McGregor, chairman of the board of directors, also, Miss Annie Fountain provincial girls' work secretary of Vancouver.

The casket was borne with beautiful flowers, the floral bearers being members of the Chums group of the C.G.I.T., led by Mrs. Hunter, and nurses of the training school of the Jubilee Hospital, with whom the late Miss Daniels was associated. The solo, "My Task," was rendered by Mrs. S. M. Morton, Edward Parsons presiding at the organ.

Interment was made in Royal Oak Burial Park with the following pallbearers: Honorary Nurses M. Gregson, G. Bremner, D. Todd, J. Grant, A. Webster and M. King; active, A. Weight, J. Pouracre, H. O. English, A. Hunkin, W. Baker and J. E. Hunter.

Funeral Of Victim Of Skating Mishap Here To-morrow

Funeral service for the late Herbert Rhodes Cliff, who accidentally met his death at Elk Lake on Sunday, will be held to-morrow afternoon at 2.30, from the S. J. Curry and Son Funeral Home, Rev. J. S. Patterson will officiate and interment will be made in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

OBITUARY

Many friends were present at the funeral of Baby Alice Victoria Johnston, which was held yesterday afternoon at the Thomson Funeral Home. There were numerous floral tributes. Rev. W. G. Wilson, D.D., officiated at the service, during which the hymn "Safe in the Arms of Jesus" was sung. Interment was made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

There passed away to-day Mrs. Caroline Williams, seventy-two-year-old wife of Alfred Charles Williams of 1830 Lillian Road. Mrs. Williams was born in London, England, and has been a resident in this city for many years. She is mourned by her husband, two daughters, Mrs. W. Reid and Mrs. F. A. Morgan, both of this city; one son, Mr. L. Cannon, of Chicago; one brother, S. Andrew, of Ottawa; one niece, Mrs. H. Sulston, of Victoria, and six grandchildren, all of this city. The remains are resting at the B.C. Funeral Parlors, where the funeral will take place on Friday at 2 p.m.

The death occurred Tuesday evening at the Royal Jubilee Hospital of William John Clarke. The late Mr. Clarke was born in London, England, sixty-four years ago. He has been a resident of this city for the last ten years. He is survived by his widow at the family residence, 400 Chester Street; two daughters—Miss Thelma L. Clarke and Mrs. Sybil Ryle, both of this city; also one sister, Mrs. Sarah Tuttle, Kelowna, B.C. The remains are resting at the S. J. Curry and Son Funeral Home. Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon, at 2.30 o'clock from the Pentecostal Hall, Broad Street. Interment will be made in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

There passed away early Tuesday morning at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Elizabeth Kathleen Macleay, formerly Betty Brinkman, aged twenty-seven, a native of Victoria. Mrs. Macleay is survived by her mother, four brothers and four sisters. The remains are at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, pending funeral arrangements, which will be announced later.

Mrs. Margaret Anna Molyneux passed away at the family residence, 1773 Denman Street yesterday afternoon, aged seventy-three years. She was born in Carp, Ontario, and had been a resident of this city for twenty-five years. Mrs. Molyneux is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Violet Morrison; two grandsons, Hugh Molyneux and Allan Donald Morrison, of 1773 Denman Street; one brother, S. S. Cruikshank, of Shreveport, Louisiana; also nephews and nieces. The funeral will take place on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Sande Funeral Chapel, 2871 B. P. S. Luttrell will officiate and the remains will be laid to rest in Royal Oak Burial Park.

Local Radio Fan Talks to Byrd's Antarctic Ship

Although people in the United States and Eastern Canada have reported holding radio communication with the Byrd Antarctic Expedition, John S. Lawrence of 2560 Shelbourne Street is believed to be the first local fan to have held conversations over the air with the expedition.

Mr. Lawrence intercepted a message from the S. Eleanor Bolling yesterday morning at 3.10 o'clock and again at an early hour to-day. Exceptionally good signals were received at both ends and little difficulty was experienced in maintaining contact. The estimated distance between Victoria and the ship was 8,000 miles. The local station was operating on a wave length of 41.3 metres, while the ship was using one of 34 metres.

FINED \$50 ON LIQUOR COUNT

Henry Reuand Pleads Guilty to Charge of Supplying Liquor to Minor

When he pleaded guilty to a charge of supplying liquor to a minor, Henry Reuand was fined \$50 by Magistrate George Jay in City Police Court this morning.

T. M. Miller, counsel for accused, in making the plea, asked for the imposition of a minimum fine. He explained that it was a case of two couples, three of whom were about twenty-three years of age and one girl just over twenty. The accused had to leave town on a boat just before Christmas and the party had got some beer on the night of December 23, he said. There was no direct evidence that the accused had supplied the girl with beer, but there was beer in his car and she had helped herself.

Constable P. W. Richards, who arrested the accused, said he had found the party in a car, parked in Beacon Hill Park, just off Dallas Road. Two bottles of beer found in the car were produced in court.

In passing sentence the Magistrate remarked that the accused might also have been charged with consuming liquor in a public place.

Plan Election Date Changes

December Instead of January Suggested For Municipal Polls

Will Be Circularized on Proposed Financial Year Change

All municipalities in British Columbia will be circularized in an effort to find out whether general opinion is in favor of municipal elections being advanced so as to be held between December 1 and 15 and the new councils taking charge on January 1. It was decided at a meeting of the Municipal Committee of the Legislature this morning.

R. Hayward, chairman of the committee, pointed out the matter came up in 1925. Only thirty-seven municipalities replied out of sixty-eight circulations. Twenty-four favored a change from January to December. Thirteen were in favor of continuing the January date. The others were not sufficiently interested to reply. In the new circular it will be made clear that failure to reply will be taken to mean the municipality is in favor of the proposed change.

R. Baird, Inspector of Municipalities, said the change should be arbitrary and favored December. An election should be held at the same time. When the municipalities are circularized they will also be asked if they would favor the financial year being advanced to November 30.

INDIGENTS ARE GRAVE PROBLEM

Cities Ask Government to Share Cost of Upkeep

The burden of indigent persons from other cities and sometimes from other provinces is so severe in some districts of British Columbia that it is a serious problem for the Municipal Committee of the B.C. Legislature, as told by delegates of the Union of B.C. Municipalities yesterday. So that municipalities shall not be called upon to pay indigent costs for persons for whom they claim they should have responsibility, they ask the Province assume responsibility up to ninety days.

It was pointed out that there was a thirty-day clause in the Hospital Act but it had been repealed. Members of the delegation and members of the committee quoted instances in their own districts. Indigents from other provinces were also a problem it was claimed, and an arrangement with other provinces to cover them was also suggested. Harvesters arriving at Fernie were cited by Thomas Uphill.

"Ted" Burgess, Insurance Man, Died Tuesday

After a brief illness, Arthur Stanley Burgess, popularly known as "Ted," passed away at the Jubilee Hospital last night. The late Mr. Burgess was an overseas veteran, and for the last two and a half years had been with Pemberton and Sons, being employed in their insurance department.

He is survived by his widow, residing at the family residence, 27 Moss Street, and two sisters, Mrs. Herbert Butchart of Portland, and Mrs. J. E. Gardner of San Francisco. The remains are resting at the B.C. Funeral Company, pending funeral arrangements.

SCHOOL FEES FROM OUTSIDE PUPILS SOUGHT

Non Residents Are Tax on Municipalities, Committee Told

Oak Bay Seeks Greater Control of Fire Regulations

Power to collect fees from parents of children brought into a municipality for attendance at public school is sought in a motion of the B.C. Union of Municipalities discussed by the Municipalities Committee of the B.C. Legislature and held over until Hon. Joshua Hinchcliffe, Minister of Education, has been approached on the subject again.

Under the present system a municipality might be flooded with pupils from outside. Alderman Bridgman of North Vancouver told the committee. He instanced a case in Burnaby where a man had carefully advertised for pupils, had received thirty to live in a boarding house which he kept and had then sent them to the public schools for their education. His part of training consisted of home training. The municipality paid the cost of education.

Clerk Blandy of Oak Bay said this was a real problem especially where the schools were good. Often the pupils came only from another part of the province but from another province.

FIRE CONTROL

An application was made from Oak Bay for powers for greater control of fire regulations. At present legislation provided for a fire escape from a three-story building. They wanted it to also apply to a two-story building. There was also a doubt if an apartment house was a public building. Fire regulations for collecting produce in a municipality for sale outside the municipality was held over for discussion on the request of A. D. King, solicitor for the B.C. Electric Company. The question arose, he said, whether B.C. Electric stages plying between Vancouver and Chilliwack would be included.

OTHER QUESTIONS

Regulations on the size of lots on subdivisions were sought, the municipalities pointing out that this was desired to avoid possible appeals to the Zoning Board.

A change in land registry fees aimed particularly at reducing the charges when a municipality like Coquitlam sold hundreds of lots in a block, was sought. Relaxation of the rule making it necessary for a magistrate to cancel a white motor license for any offender was asked and will be taken up with the Attorney-General.

WIRELESS PHONE BILL IS BEFORE HOUSE COMMITTEE

Establishment of Combination of Wire and Wireless Telephone is Discussed

Establishment of a combination of wire and wireless telephone to link up isolated communities in British Columbia with the telephonic system not only in existence in the Province but all over the Continent is the purpose of a private bill of the Provincial Telephone Company, a companion enterprise to the B.C. Telephone Company, now before the Private Bills Committee of the Legislature.

G. H. Halse of the B.C. Telephone Company explained to the committee the manner in which it was proposed to link up the two systems. He instanced Powell River, which would be able to communicate by wireless with Campbell River, where connection would be made with the regular wire system. He explained that owing to the nature of the British Columbia Coast, the cost of extending a wire telephonic system would be prohibitive.

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Thos. H. Christy, Former Victorian, Dies at Lillooet

Thomas Howard Christy passed away at Lillooet, British Columbia, on January 25, after a short illness. Funeral services were held in St. Mary's Church, Lillooet, and the church was thronged with residents of the district who came to share in the last rites. Interment took place at Lillooet Cemetery.

The late Mr. Christy settled in Lillooet some ten years ago, to live near two of his sons, who, after strenuous war service, had returned to live at

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Overnight Entries At Tia Juana

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| First race—Three and a half furlongs: | Joia Motor | 101 | Peshawar, India, Feb. 6.—Two British Air Force planes brought twenty-eight persons from Kabul, capital of Afghanistan, yesterday evening. Most of them were Indian women and children, although there was a European engineer named Wilson among them. |
| Livorno | Charming Shot | 102 | |
| Easter Beth | Crittall | 110 | |
| Tonto Book | Billy Conter | 107 | |
| Title Owl | Tonto | 107 | |
| Violeta | Shorty O | 102 | |
| Mt. Lassen | Fifth race—Five and one-half furlongs: | | |
| Shasta Night | Dangerous | 112 | |
| Dorothy Mac | Simony | 102 | |
| Billie Wisp | Alexander Paintings | 116 | |
| Tahoka | Oh Say | 108 | |
| Correct | Andromeda | 98 | |
| Rag Wink | Be Gorra | 104 | |
| Duke Pohl | Witchamont | 104 | |
| Lumont | Tuskogee | 104 | |
| Prince Hoda | Short Price | 101 | |
| Teolante | Sixth race—One mile and one-sixteenth: | | |
| Spartacus | Green Hills | 108 | |
| Second race—Six furlongs: | Bryndear | 108 | |
| Camsale | Bluefish | 108 | |
| Beantle | Parishes | 102 | |
| Busy Beth | Oh Say | 108 | |
| Pine Manners | Andromeda | 98 | |
| Scarlet Bugler | Be Gorra | 104 | |
| Twenty-two-sixty | Witchamont | 104 | |
| Shock | Tuskogee | 104 | |
| Ruddy Clark | Short Price | 101 | |
| Huquince | Sixth race—One mile and one-sixteenth: | | |
| Davis Jr. | Green Hills | 108 | |
| Carlos Enrique | Bryndear | 108 | |
| Argus | Bluefish | 108 | |
| Dan E. Stewart | Parishes | 102 | |
| Private Seth | Oh Say | 108 | |
| Mora Dear | Andromeda | 98 | |
| Dave Hurn | Be Gorra | 104 | |
| Bankfield | Witchamont | 104 | |
| Third race—Six furlongs: | Tuskogee | 104 | |
| Smart Horse | Short Price | 101 | |
| Quince Garden | Sixth race—One mile and one-sixteenth: | | |
| High Ball | Green Hills | 108 | |
| Modo | Bryndear | 108 | |
| Fill D. | Bluefish | 108 | |
| Athelrath | Parishes | 102 | |
| Kid North | Oh Say | 108 | |
| Ball Bombus | Andromeda | 98 | |
| High Card | Be Gorra | 104 | |
| Forenoon | Witchamont | 104 | |
| Kaliko | Tuskogee | 104 | |
| Burdale | Short Price | 101 | |
| Wynnewood | Sixth race—One mile and one-sixteenth: | | |
| Supervisor | Sapodilla | 107 | |
| Seth's Ballot | Quinine | 104 | |
| Fourth race—Five and a half furlongs: | Voorlor | 104 | |
| Parishetta | Parishes | 102 | |
| Betty Bowman | Shasta Sheik | 102 | |
| El Monte | Bank Jr. | 108 | |
| Sony's Own | Kiechef Macher | 102 | |
| Rose Murphy | Tonari | 108 | |
| King Flame | Whizzer | 109 | |
| Vapor | Ponimol | 109 | |
| Yucca | Chief Sabbathus | 109 | |
| | Fred Dubner | 104 | |
| | Eighth race—One mile and one-sixteenth: | | |
| | Battle On | 109 | |
| | Rural Gossip | 102 | |
| | Valley Joe | 102 | |
| | Circuit | 102 | |
| | Bon Fils | 102 | |
| | Chick Up | 102 | |
| | War-Salem | 104 | |
| | Engelbrecht | 104 | |
| | Jim Beith | 104 | |
| | Ben Handley | 104 | |
| | Bardalid | 104 | |
| | Eric | 104 | |



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Sperry Flour Merges With General Mills

San Francisco, Feb. 6.—General Mills Inc. of Minneapolis announced its consolidation with the Sperry Flour Company, a \$13,000,000 concern with properties in California, Washington, Oregon, Idaho and Utah.

Under terms of the merger, subject to approval of Sperry Flour Company stockholders at a meeting February 20, General Mills Inc. will redeem Sperry bonds and preferred stock and holders of Sperry common stock will receive preferred and common stock of General Mills.

D. D. Davis, vice-president and treasurer of General Mills, stated that in his opinion the acquisition of the

Sperry concern brought to his company a most valuable addition and confirmed the continuance of the present policies and staff of the Sperry Flour Company under the consolidation plans. Roy N. Bishop, president of the Sperry Mills becomes a director of General Mills Inc.

CATTLE INCREASE

Toronto, Feb. 6.—At the annual meeting of the Canadian Jersey Cattle Club held here, reports of registration and transfers showed a marked increase, the total for 1928 being 24,079, against 15,480 in 1927. J. W. McGillivray, Chilliwack, B.C., was elected vice-president.

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DEAN CLEMENT SPEAKER HERE

Victoria Horticultural Society Hears of U.B.C. Faculty Work

In an illustrated address before the Victoria Horticultural Society last night, Dean F. M. Clement told of the operations of the faculty of agriculture at the University of British Columbia. During his talk Dean Clement paid tribute to Dr. L. S. Kilnec, president of the university, for the organization of the department in the earlier years of the institution. He also touched briefly on the marketing issue and, in conjunction with a number of comparative pictures, explained the production of greater yields through scientific research.

Thanks of the society to the speaker were extended by George Robinson, Cecil Tice and the president, Fred Landsberg.

D. D. McTAVISH NAMED CHAIRMAN OF ZONING BOARD

Duncan D. McTavish of 1032 Pendergast Street, well-known member of the firm of McTavish Bros., customs broker, is the new chairman of the zoning board of appeal for Victoria City. Mr. McTavish was appointed by Commissioners J. H. Doughty-Davies and Fred Landsberg yesterday afternoon, and has consented to act.

The board is an honorary one, sitting at frequent intervals to hear appeals on zoning matters where permits have been refused. Commissioner Landsberg represents the Provincial Government on the board. Commissioner Doughty-Davies, former city zoning engineer, is the city's representative, and Commissioner McTavish, the chairman appointed by the first two named. The board is now complete, and will enter on its work for the year.

RECORD FLIGHT ACROSS THE U.S.

Roosevelt Field, N.Y., Feb. 6.—Captain Frank Hawks set a new record for a non-stop transcontinental aeroplane flight yesterday. Maintaining an average speed of almost 150 miles an hour, despite snow and fog and rain that drove him high into the sky and for a time threw him off his course, he made the journey thirty-six minutes and one second faster than the only other plane that had ever flown without halting from the West coast of the United States to the east coast.

Hawks, piloting a scarlet torpedo-shaped Lockheed monoplane, and accompanied by Oscar E. Grubb, a mechanic, left Los Angeles at 5:37:30 o'clock, Eastern time yesterday afternoon, giving the air travelers a flying time of eighteen hours, twenty-one minutes and fifty-nine seconds.

The only other West-East transcontinental non-stop flight ever accomplished was made late last summer by Colonel Arthur A. Hobbie in another Lockheed monoplane with Harry Tucker as a passenger. In eighteen hours, and fifty-eight minutes, Tucker and C. B. D. Collier were later killed attempting to beat Hobbie's time.

The Hawks plane started with 475 gallons of gasoline and had seventy-five gallons left when it landed.

Royal Standard Egg-laying Contest

Conducted by the Vancouver Milling and Grain Co. Limited, Vancouver, B.C.
*Leading pen. Week No. 13, Ending January 30, 1929

| Name | Address | Eggs for Week | Total Eggs |
|-------------------------------------|---------|---------------|------------|
| A. A. Adams, Victoria | | 15 | 331 |
| Tom Allison, Burnaby | | 15 | 317 |
| W. D. Anderson, Pt. Haney | | 20 | 504 |
| P. W. Appleby, Mission | | 22 | 354 |
| R. E. Asch, Sandhill | | 19 | 403 |
| Belair and O'Farrell, Cobble Hill | | 25 | 520 |
| Bolivar Lehorn Farm, Cloverdale | | 28 | 439 |
| Kennedy Brothers, New Westminster | | 28 | 439 |
| William Chell, Mission | | 37 | 545 |
| George Claridge, Burnaby | | 7 | 375 |
| George Davidson, Vancouver | | 22 | 298 |
| E. W. Daykin, Pt. Haney | | 31 | 104 |
| P. J. Ebbes, Cloverdale | | 12 | 273 |
| F. A. Evans, Abbotsford | | 20 | 233 |
| William Ferguson, Nanaimo | | 6 | 356 |
| C. S. Flowerdew, Coquitlam | | 12 | 327 |
| T. O. Leshorn Farm, Seaside | | 33 | 470 |
| C. Grocock and Son, New Westminster | | 8 | 425 |
| W. J. Gunn, Courtenay | | 9 | 425 |
| James Smythe, Nanaimo | | 37 | 492 |
| S. M. Hawkins, New Westminster | | 22 | 415 |
| P. W. Hickleton, Newton | | 22 | 415 |
| Hudson and Busby, Mission | | 21 | 546 |
| W. T. Holtby, Port Haney | | 24 | 386 |
| Jingle Pot Poultry Farm, Nanaimo | | 28 | 338 |
| Kennedy Brothers, New Westminster | | 32 | 482 |
| Joe Kerr, New Westminster | | 32 | 482 |
| A. C. E. Knott, Millner | | 17 | 446 |
| John Krombholz, Cloverdale | | 19 | 446 |
| Fred Lucas, Port Coquitlam | | 22 | 408 |
| William Macpherson, New Westminster | | 10 | 408 |
| D. A. McKinn, Burnaby | | 20 | 438 |
| Andrew, Nichol, New Westminster | | 17 | 438 |
| Rump and Sandall, Millner | | 24 | 424 |
| A. W. Schofield, New Westminster | | 21 | 408 |
| M. R. Schofield, New Westminster | | 29 | 450 |
| Nice-Skelton, Burnaby | | 30 | 368 |
| J. B. Sloan, Cloverdale | | 34 | 519 |
| James Smythe, Nanaimo | | 33 | 419 |
| R. J. Speers, Lynn Creek | | 18 | 463 |
| Donald Stalker, Hammond | | 12 | 401 |
| R. W. Tull, Duncan | | 16 | 463 |
| L. Van Wensen, Burnaby | | 38 | 504 |
| Chas. H. Walls, New Westminster | | 24 | 465 |
| Villiers Bros, Duncan | | 39 | 490 |
| H. Wadell, Burnaby | | 11 | 278 |
| Wayside Poultry Farm, Vancouver | | 39 | 499 |
| William Whittins, Port Kells | | 22 | 483 |
| J. W. Woodbury, New Westminster | | 22 | 483 |
| Wilson Bros, New Westminster | | 13 | 215 |

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Brummitt and Maynard, Vancouver
George Chapman, Comox
Mrs. Mary Cooper, New Westminster
J. Goodman, New Westminster
R.I.R. Club of America, Vancouver

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S. B. Hawkins, New Westminster
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O. N. Thom, New Westminster

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Dining-room Suite of solid oak, buffet with low back rail, oblong extension table, six chairs with leather slip seats. Price \$162.50

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Men's Heavy Fleece-lined Shirts and Drawers; "Dodd's" knit. Shirts 34 to 44; drawers 32 and 34. A garment **59c**

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 —Bargain Highway, Lower Main Floor

Spencer's Super-serge

SUITS

A Noteworthy Value. Each

\$27.50

Suits tailored from a practical weight all-wool blue serge, featuring the latest styles for men or young men. Special models for tall, short or stout figures. Suits that rival those at a much higher price; all sizes. Fit guaranteed. Each **\$27.50**
 —Men's Clothing, Main Floor

Heavy-weight Wool Overcoats

High Grade and Well

Tailored **\$17.95**

Purchased now, you will enjoy its comfort for the remainder of the Winter and have a fashioned coat to come out with next Fall. Coats of all-wool materials, extra well finished and lined with silk. A range of newest patterns and shades—checks, greys, lovats, fawns, browns and fancy patterns; sizes 34 to 44 **\$17.95**
 —Men's Clothing, Main Floor



Men's Socks

Wool and Silk and Wool

Interwoven Socks, wool and silk, in choice colorings and designs. A pair **\$1.25**

Imported All-wool and Silk and Wool Socks, fancy colors and designs. A pair, **75¢** and **\$1.00**

All-wool Imported Socks, two-fold yarn, assorted colors and patterns. A pair **\$1.25**

All-wool Cashmere Socks, plain colors and black. A pair **75¢**

All-wool Scotch Knitted Socks, fancy rib; brown, lovat and blue. **75¢**
 —Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

A Runner in Your Stockings?

Then leave them at our hosiery counter, where they will be invisibly mended, promptly and at a reasonable price.

—Hosiery, Main Floor

Men's Vests, Pullovers and Sweaters

All-Wool Knitted Vests, made in Scotland, with four pockets. Fancy checks and assorted colors. Special value, each **\$7.75**

Universal Brand All-wool Fancy Knit Pullovers, V neck style with ribbed bottom, assorted marl shades. **\$4.75**
 Men's Rib Stitch Sweaters, V neck style with two pockets, Oxford grey and brown. A bargain, each **\$2.95**
 —Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Stanfield's Men's Underwear

Correct Weight for Present Wear

No. 3200 Natural Wool Mixture Shirts and Drawers. A garment, at **\$1.75**
 Combinations, a suit, at **\$3.25**
 Stanfield's N. A. C. Shirts and Drawers, natural wool mixture. A garment **\$2.25**
 Combinations, a suit, at **\$4.25**
 Stanfield's No. 7700 Natural Wool Shirts and Drawers. A garment **\$3.00**
 Combinations, a suit, at **\$5.00**
 Stanfield's Cream Elastic Rib Combinations, twin fabric, rayon, wool and cotton, neat fitting and comfortable. A suit **\$5.00**
 —Men's Furnishings, Main Floor



VALENTINES

St. Valentine's Day is made or marred by the cards that one receives. We have such a wonderful selection this year that everyone is sure to be suited. Cards expressing a graceful sentiment or comic cards, prove most popular. A great variety of Cards, priced from, Cards for the children at 3 for **5¢**
 To more elaborate Valentines at, each **\$1.00**

Let the Children Make Their Valentines

A delightful pastime for children at this time of the year is the making of Valentines. We are featuring boxes containing all the necessary materials, complete for, each, **35¢** and **50¢**
 —Stationery, Lower Main Floor

Chinaware at February Sale Prices

Cups and Saucers, 5 o'clock tea size. Three decorations. Each **27¢**

23-piece China Tea Sets, four patterns to choose from. Sets include 6 cups and saucers, 6 tea plates, teapot, sugar and cream. A set **\$2.95**

Plain White Breakfast Sets, made up of 6 breakfast plates, 6 side plates, 6 cups and saucers, 6 oatmeal bowls, 1 platter, 1 open dish. On sale, a set, **\$2.95**
 —Chinaware, Lower Main Floor

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STOCK MARKETS — FINANCIAL NEWS — GRAIN MARKETS

TO-DAY'S GRAIN MARKETS

(By Branson, Brown & Co. Ltd.)

Winnipeg, Feb. 6.—Wheat opened about 1/4c higher this morning and held very firm between half and three-quarters above last night's close. There appeared to be plenty of wheat for sale at \$1.20 for May, but there was good buying at a fraction under these figures. Seaboard houses were in and out of the market, but took a moderate quantity, while there was some short covering and commission house buying.

The pool were not selling, but the local trade had wheat for sale at top levels. Trade volume was not large, and the local market was inclined to follow Chicago, which was up a full cent at one time. The unexpected strength in Liverpool was a distinct surprise to the trade, with good buying by the continent reported.

There was a better tone to the demand for cash wheat, but offerings were extremely light, and wheat changing hands was quite small. Spreads were unchanged to half better. Exporters confirmed only a small business worked overnight, a little No. 3 wheat being taken by the United Kingdom.

Buying of Winnipeg October by American interests was again prominent. Foreign cables show that the disappearance of wheat this year is attracting attention on the other side. Both India and China have bought Australian wheat recently, and Australian markets are firm.

The world's wheat statistical position is steadily strengthening on the tremendous consumption and increasing necessity of all importing countries, and this encourages the bulls. Weather in the South is now more reasonable, and snow has fallen over a wide area the past day or two.

Coarse grains—These markets continued extremely dull, nothing of feature going on. While the demand was very slack, there was no selling pressure and prices held very steady.

Flax—This market was also quiet, although there was a little buying by crushers. Offerings light.

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Tired Business Men

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THE OLD ORDER CHANGES

By DAVID LYALL

He stepped back into the hall and was a few minutes there, the sound of his quick breathing breaking the stillness of the house. Presently Deborah came through the hall bearing a coffee pot, having, with the resource of her faithful kind, produced the needed stimulant at the psychological moment.

"Good old Deb!" Tom said by way of commendation. "Put it down there, old girl, and off you go to bed. Naughty boy, aren't I, and you're one of the best!"

Deborah departed with her short laugh, which might have meant anything. Oddly enough, she, too, contrasted him at the moment with the boy who had gone away. She gave loyal service to him, because it was her nature, but she had only one shrill. Her master knew it, and it them. But they never spoke George's name to one another.

Divested of the overalls, Tom's figure in the suit of fine blue serge looked very slender, not to say meagre. His shoulders sloped and his face was sallow and unhealthy. He had light, rather dark, blue eyes, which had an odd way of never looking at you.

The intimacy of business had revealed to Freeland a singular shiftness in character of his second son which often worried him.

Tom would never be able, even if he succeeded to the business, to keep up the reputation of Coppetts.

There was something the matter with his honor standard. He would go back on his word, or say he had never uttered it, or the other side of the matter, he would be unparliamentary. It had already made a breach likely to widen between them.

Brought to book regarding the barrier and the absence of real comradeship between them, Freeland might quite truly have answered that there was nothing in Tom to build upon.

Freeland had not said very much on this head because he was extraordinarily sensitive. He believed that this shiftness was an inherited trait. Time and again he had discovered and proved that Harriet's work could be relied on. She was an opportunist, saying what suited the moment. It is an easy and light charge to bring against a human being, to call him or her an opportunist, but it is a really few things more disastrous in life than absolute unreliability.

It poisons everything. It leaves the home life without floor or roof. As it concerns the whole of brief fortunes are immediately following, it was the cross as well as the curse of Robert Freeland's existence. Had he been one of the harsh, spartan old fathers, he would have beaten Tom's shiftness out of him in his callow youth, but he was not that kind of man. He had done his best, however, by precept and example, and had George lived, he would have been able to influence his brother in a way no father, however wise and willing, could do. For youth calls to youth all the world over, and is the mightiest power operating in the lives of men.

"They seem to be desperate riders you're taking just now, Tom," said his father dryly. "You look dead beat. What pleasure do you find in them?"

"None," answered Tom unexpectedly, and sitting down at the table he attacked the sandwiches and poured himself a cup of coffee.

"Where have you been to-night then, may I ask?"

"Oh, yes; you may ask. I've been at a place called Tatton-cum-Regis."

"Seem to have heard the name. Where is it?"

"Nine miles this side of Barnley," "Mercy me, have you been there and back since six o'clock?"

"I have," answered Tom, and gulped the last mouthful of his coffee, flung up again, and searched in his pockets for his cigarettes.

"Lost it, by Jove! Have you a few, Dad?"

"Not on me, but there's some in the little brown box in the sideboard there. I see the monkey Bie at them whiles."

Freeland, of course, held old-fashioned ideas about women. The bobbed hair, cigarette smoking, breech-wearing type made no appeal to him.

Tom searched the sideboard and found the little brown box. The need looked his nerves evidently, for the look of strain slowly died out of his eyes. Freeland did not smoke. His nerves were ragged, for he had exchanged no conciliatory word with the wife of his bosom yet, and quarrels were hateful to him.

"Where's your pipe, Dad? won't you light up?" asked Tom. "It's more so, I want to speak to you."

"I'm not in the mood for the pipe, but I'm not needing any bed. You can speak as much and as long as you like," observed Freeland, and his tone lightened. Perhaps he was about to hear something which would cheer him and his son that he had yet been. It seemed something immeasurable.

Suddenly Tom threw his cigarette into the fireplace, and sitting forward, glowered across the intervening space, his breath coming a little more quickly.

"Dad, I'm in a hole—a deuce of a hole. I don't know how to get out."

"Let's hear about it, and we'll see," said Freeland in that direct way of his, which admitted of no beating about the bush. "What kind of a hole is it?"

"Oh, the usual with a young chap. Can't you guess, father?" asked Tom, with a slightly uneasy laugh.

"A woman, I suppose?"

Tom nodded, got up, took a few steps across the floor, and then sat down again, continuing to glower.

"I suppose I'd better tell you the whole story."

"It might help," observed Freeland, as if the matter were of the smallest moment. That was his way. So inured had he become to veiling his feelings that in his moments of deepest emotion they could be entirely unsuspected by those who came in contact with him. It had been one of the principal causes of friction between him and Harriet. She had often called him callous, blaming it all on his nationalistic which she now professed to abhor.

"Well, it began—let me see—a couple of years ago, when I was in camp at Lodelsey. She used to come about the camp with an entertaining party."

"Oh, that kind," observed Freeland dryly.

"Oh, there was nothing the matter with her, as far as the matter of the smaller moment. That was his way. So inured had he become to veiling his feelings that in his moments of deepest emotion they could be entirely unsuspected by those who came in contact with him. It had been one of the principal causes of friction between him and Harriet. She had often called him callous, blaming it all on his nationalistic which she now professed to abhor.

"Where did she belong?"

"Belong? Oh, London—Camberwell. She worked at munitions in between. I don't just know how she got in with the entertaining crowd. She was only at Lodelsey at holiday times when she was out for munititions. She has an aunt there."

Freeland listened, putting two and two together.

Lodelsey was within motoring distance of Barnley, and Tom had been in camp there for over seven months. He belonged to the later batches of conscripts, his age having precluded his admission to the army before. He had now only twenty-four, and had been demobilized for nearly a year.

"Well, so on," said his father.

"It isn't easy to go on," said Tom, "it's just the old story, you know. We got to have a good time, and always when I came through on leave we met in London. I may as well confess that I never came straight through from France, nor yet went straight back. I took at least two days off my leave every time on Edie's account."

To be Continued

BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggily's Reading Lesson

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(By Howard R. Garis)

"My! How fat you are getting!" said the Fox to the Bob Cat one morning as the two Bad Chaps met in the woods back of Uncle Wiggily's hollow stump bungalow.

"Am I?" mewed the Bob Cat. "Very fat," barked the Fox. "What makes it?"

"Not eating rabbits, I can tell you that," snarled the Bob Cat, rubbing his silly little tail against an icicle. "I haven't been able to catch that Uncle Wiggily rabbit no-matter what I do."

"Neither have I," said the Fox. "But, now that I see how fat you have grown it comes into my mind that perhaps you could play a trick on Mr. Longears and catch him for a popple."

"What sort of a trick is it?" mewed the Bob Cat, and what has me being fat got to do with it?"

"Everything!" said the Fox, laughing. "If you weren't fat you couldn't play the trick. For Curly and Floppy, the pigs are fat, aren't they?"

"Oh, yes, indeed," said the Bob Cat. "Nice little fat pigs they are! I'd like to catch one of them. I'm very fond of roast pork."

"Listen to me," whispered the Fox. "Since you are so fat you can easily pretend to be one of the pigs. Curly or Floppy. And if he thinks you are either of those pig boys, Uncle Wiggily will easily let you in his bungalow. Then you can easily catch him. All I ask of you, for telling you about this trick, is that you will give me a few nibbles off that rabbit."

"I'll do it if I catch him!" promised the Bob Cat, "but I don't know how I am going to get in his bungalow."

"Very easily," the Fox said. "Remember that you are fat like a pig. Now all you need to do is to dress like Curly or Floppy, put a cap on your head so Uncle Wiggily won't see your ears with the tassels, for pigs don't wear tassels on their ears, and off you go to the bungalow. You can pretend you want Uncle Wiggily to help you study your reading lesson. Uncle Wiggily always helps the animal boys and girls study their lessons so they will get good marks from the Lady Mouse Teacher in the Hollow Stump School."

"Well, I'll do that," said the Bob Cat. "I'll pretend to want help in my reading lesson. I've got an old book somewhere around my paw, but don't you think I had better put on a false face so I'll look more like a pig?"

"Perhaps it would be just as well," agreed the Fox.

So the Bob Cat bought a pig's false face and, taking an old reading book under his paw, he went, late that afternoon, to the hollow stump bungalow, having seen Uncle Wiggily come back from the store.

"Why, hello, Curly!" exclaimed Nurse Jane as she opened the door.

"Ho! Ho! I've fooled Miss Fussy Wussy," chuckled the Bob Cat to himself. "She thinks I'm a pig. I'll fool Uncle Wiggily too!"

"What do you want, Curly?" asked the muskrat lady housekeeper.

"Please, I want Uncle Wiggily to help me study my reading lesson," mewed the Bob Cat, talking as much like a little pig as he could.

"All right, I'll call him," said Nurse Jane, and pretty soon Uncle Wiggily hopped into the room.

"So you want me to help you study your reading lesson, do you?" asked Uncle Wiggily. "All right, Curly, open your book."

"Ho! Ho! I've fooled him, too!" chuckled the Bob Cat. "In a minute, when he isn't watching me, I'll grab him and run with him to the Fox."

Now for a moment Uncle Wiggily was fooled, thinking it was Curly. But when the rabbit gentleman looked down and saw the silly little tail, like a baby's thumb, instead of the nice kinkly, curly tail which each of the pig boys wore, Mr. Longears knew it was all a trick.

"Oh ho!" said the bunny to himself. "Here's the Bob Cat trying to make believe he's a pig who wants to learn to read."

"We'll begin with this," he said, and with that he banged the big, heavy book down upon the head of the Bob Cat, knocking off the false face and sending the Bad Chap skidding out of the door. "Ha! ha!" laughed Mr. Longears as he saw the Bob Cat bump down the front steps. "In the foot of the reading class you go!"

The Bob Cat picked himself up and limped back to the woods.

"Well!" said the Fox as he met his chum.

"No, sick!" mewed the Bob Cat. "I should have put a false face on my tail! And when the fox heard what had happened he said the same. Now if the flashlight will take the milk bottle to the movies before it gets dark I'll tell you next about Uncle Wiggily and the happy bird."

THE AIR

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 6

CPCT (475.9) Victoria, B.C.

6 p.m.—Closing market quotations.

6:30 p.m.—Sunset concert orchestra.

7:30 p.m.—The Call of the Wild, official weather report, weekly radio-forecast, "Textiles Are On the March," West Coast Information Service, the correct time.

8 p.m.—Threes-act play, The Call of the Wild.

11 p.m.—Crystal Garden orchestra.

National Broadcasters' Programme

6:30-7:30 p.m.—Palmolive Hour (transmission).

8:30 p.m.—"Roads to Romance."

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STATION NOTES

SUNSET CONCERT ORCHESTRA

An overture by von Flotow, "The Maritima," will greet radio listeners who dial CPCT at 6:30 this evening. The Sunset Concert Orchestra, playing over Victoria's radio station, will also render many other fine compositions, among which are "Elegie," by Baron, and a selection from the musical "Mary." A suite by the English orchestral conductor Eric Coates, entitled "From the Countryside," will be played by the orchestra, while Coleridge-Taylor's "Dance Nigro" will be given as a violin offering. The nightly hour of music with the Sunset Broadcasters will end with Raff's famous "Cavatina."

DANCE MUSIC AND DRAMA

The Empress Hotel orchestra will entertain CPCT listeners with the latest dance music from 7:30 to 8 o'clock, followed by a broadcast from the new studio of CPCT. To-night, promptly at 8 o'clock, a three-act play, written around the many caves of the Cornish coast of England, entitled "The Quest of the Ghostly Hunt," will be offered by a selected group of Stevenson's Players. Between 10 o'clock and midnight dance music will be broadcast from the Crystal Garden.

ISLAND ROADS

TALK SUBJECT

Claude L. Harrison Will Speak of Scenic Beauties in Address To-night

"Roads of Vancouver Island" will be the subject of an address by Claude L. Harrison at the annual meeting of the Canadian Legion of the Automobile Club of B.C. in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium to-night.

An invitation to all motorists interested in the development of the highways of the Island has been issued by the Automobile Club. At the present time the road question is one of vital interest here, and it is expected a large audience will be on hand to hear Mr. Harrison's talk.

Probably no other speaker is better posted on the subject of roads or has a wider knowledge of the beauty spots of the Island than Mr. Harrison, who has traversed many of the routes along which it is proposed to open up new trails. He has a number of fine lantern slides showing the proposed route of the Ocean Highway, Leech River Park area and the Forbidden Plateau, besides several other scenic sections.

Mr. Harrison's lecture will follow the meeting of the club, starting at 8 o'clock.

HARRY LANGLEY HEADS SOCIETY

Officers of Royal Society of St. George Elected at Annual Meeting Last Night

Harry Langley was elected president of the Royal Society of St. George at the annual general meeting of the organization held last night. Other officers elected were: Alderman John Harvey, first vice-president; Douglas Fletcher, second vice-president; Mrs. Bertha Parsons, third vice-president; H. P. Bishop, treasurer; Alfred Hallam, honorary secretary, and W. G. Barnes, financial secretary. The following were elected members of the board of management: J. Howard Chapman, W. J. Keen, S. Clark, A. E. G. Cornwell, Mrs. L. M. Lovatt, Mrs. Alfred Hallam, Mrs. G. H. Moody and Mrs. Douglas Fletcher. Mrs. Bosward was appointed musical director.

In future the meetings of the society will be held in the Amphion Hall on Yates Street. The next meeting will be held on February 20.

N. W. PIRRIE IS GIVEN HONOR

N. W. Pirrie was elected president of the British Public Schools Club, at the annual meeting held last night at the new building on Langley Street, and attended by eighty members.

Other officers named were: Vice-president, W. Downes; committee, F. Levin, A. V. Price, R. H. Meadon, J. G. Johnson, P. Holmes, C. C. Cooper, W. MacKay, P. E. Parker, F. Saxton, White, W. F. A. Hudson, Capt. W. Ord and Major W. P. Bristowe.

F. E. Parker was elected a life member. Reports of the last year were presented by Secretary D. B. McLaren, and were approved.

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JOHN BARRYMORE STARRING AT THE CAPITOL THEATRE

Louise Wolheim prefers the screen to the stage. That is why the former New York stage star is happy in California, appearing in motion picture roles he likes and enjoying the kind of life he likes. Wolheim's outstanding film part to date is "Bulba," a Russian soldier, in the new John Barrymore picture, "Tempest," showing at the Capitol Theatre for the last time to-night. "Tempest" is a United

Artists Picture that was nearly eight months in production and it is the biggest feature in Barrymore's career. As the faithful comrade of Barrymore, who plays a peasant officer enamoured of a princess, Wolheim, usually associated with villainous performances, offers a sympathetic characterization that is said to be a radical departure from anything he has ever done on the screen or stage.

On the stage this week are Rod and Cherie, instrumentalists and singers. York and Lewis in laughs and steps; Peggy Cartwright, the well-known dancer; Al Prescott and his stage band, and Jack Reed the singing master of ceremonies.

AT THE THEATRES

DUMBELLS' REVUE CLOSES TO-NIGHT

Clever Group of Ex-Soldiers
Will Give Last Performance
of "Why Worry" at Royal

After demonstrating to all and sundry in Canada for a period of nine solid years, that a company composed entirely of men can win and hold the approval of thousands of amusement seekers, Captain Plunkett has eclipsed that record with an organization more truly representative of this Dominion, where the sexes are more equally divided than in most countries.

While the girls form a graceful background for the clever sketches and tuneful melodies of "Why Worry" which will be presented at the Royal for the last time to-night, they are not the hub around which the colorful wheel revolves. The "old guard" still provides the major portion of the splendid entertainment for which they have become justly famous.

With such tried and true performers as Al Plunkett, "Red" Newman, Fred Emney, Harry Bins, Morley Plunkett, Cameron Geddes, Howard Fogg, Charlie Jeeves, Louis Crerar and Scotty Morrison, together with soloists like Jessie Butt and dancers like Alleen Parker, "Why Worry" is a success. With a dozen of Canada's fairest and most talented daughters, the Dumbells this season are the brightest,

Where To Go To-night

THE SCREEN
Capitol—John Barrymore in "Tempest."
Columbia—Ramon Navarro in "Ben Hur."
Dominion—Dolores Del Rio in "The Trail of '98."
Playhouse—Louise Fazenda in "Riley the Cop."

THE STAGE
Coliseum—The Coliseum Players in "Sputters."
Crystal Garden—Swimming and Dancing.
Royal Victoria—The Dumbells in "Why Worry?"

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"RILEY THE COP" FINE ATTRACTION AT PLAYHOUSE

Farrell Macdonald, starring in "Riley the Cop," now at the Playhouse Theatre, has two of the outstanding sport characters of America in his cast. They are Tom Wilson, popularly known as "Soldier" Wilson, and Mike Donlin, one of the most famous baseball players in the United States. Wilson was a well-known boxer before he deserted the boxing arena for the screen. He has been a blackface

comedian and has worked in hundreds of pictures. In "Riley the Cop" he is cast as a sergeant of police. Donlin, whose honesty in baseball is well known, becomes a crook. In the supporting cast are Louise Fazenda, Nancy Drexel, David Rollins, Harry Shultz, Del Henderson, Ferdinand Schumann-Heink, Mildred Boyd and Russell Powell. The production, directed by John Ford, is based on a story by Fred Stanley and James Green.

SHOWING AT CAPITOL



A scene from "Tempest," the current picture at the Capitol Theatre starring John Barrymore and Camilla Horn.

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BIBLICAL STORY FEATURE NOW AT COLUMBIA HOUSE

Few people of civilized countries have not read the Bible and few of the readers of this book have ever been able to understand the character of Pontius Pilate, Roman governor of Jerusalem, before whom Christ was tried and condemned to death by crucifixion.

Charles Mallet, who plays the role of the Roman governor in "Ben Hur," which Fred Niblo directed for Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer and which is now at the Columbia Theatre, has been a Bible student for many years and has made a deep study of the life of Pilate following the crucifixion.

The Bible fails to tell what became of the man who delivered Christ to the mob to be executed, but Mallet has found a good deal of data regarding Pilate's short existence after this act. "From all of the facts I can find regarding this man's history," says Mallet, "it would appear that he permitted the crucifixion from pure cowardice and his desire to hold public office. He greatly resembles some of our modern politicians who would permit any sacrifice on another man's part if such sacrifice would enable himself to remain in office."

"Pilate fell a victim of Caesar and his own conscience within a short time after the trial of Christ. Despite his protestations that he washed his hands of Christ's condemnation and death, he could never wash his conscience. He is said to have been removed from office by the Roman emperor and committed suicide while insane from remorse."

AN OLD FAVORITE



AL PLUNKETT who will be seen at the Royal Victoria to-night for the last time in "Why Worry?"

REAL GOLD RUSH SCENES SEEN IN DOMINION STORY

For the first time in a quarter of a century the mountains which surround Lake Bennett, in the Yukon, recently resounded to the blows of hammer and axe and the waters of the lake received the crudely made boats such as prospectors used on the last lap of their journey to the Klondike gold fields.

More than a hundred carpenters camped on the lake's shores a few months ago and assembled more than fifty boats, built for the great Yukon River scenes in Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's northern epic, "The Trail of '98," which Clarence Brown directed, and which is now at the Dominion Theatre with sound synchronization.

The boats were of every size and description, and after being built they suffered the same fate as was met by eighty per cent of the craft in which the daring prospectors sought to navigate the roaring waters of the Yukon. They were smashed to pieces upon the jutting channel rocks or rocky sides of the river's course. A few were sucked into the maw of the great seething cauldron near White Horse Rapids.

The timbers for these vessels were sawed to the correct length in the mills at Vancouver. Then they were freighted north for a thousand miles to Skagway, whence they were sent by railroad to Lake Bennett. Here they were unloaded and assembled by the carpenters sent north by the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer studio.

FINE ATTRACTIONS AT THE COLISEUM PLEASING CROWDS

With a comedy special entitled "Sputters," the Coliseum Players, under the direction of Raymond "Toby" Leitch, present an entertaining bill at the Coliseum Theatre this week. It is one of the finest stage vehicles presented at the Coliseum for a long time and is the second performance of the new company since coming here two weeks ago. So far they have proved extremely popular and hope for a successful run in the city.

The setting of this week's perfor-

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mance is laid on a ranch in Arizona, and the scenes are most realistic with a typical ranch house in the wings, a curtain showing the fields in the background and a western well in the centre of the stage. "Sputters," played by Mr. Leitch is a stuttering farm hand, rustic and uncouth, but beloved by all the hands on the large ranch. Mr. Leitch keeps his audience in howls of laughter by his ridiculous antics.

The wiggle of his toe, a movement of his hand and the twisting of his face create an uproar among the audience. Miss Leone Webster, leading lady with the company is cast as the charming and vivacious daughter of the owner of the ranch, which role is taken by Lorus Bagley. The mistress of the ranch is played by Miss Ada Daniels, while Miss Esther Todd has the role of a Mexican maid. Paul Wallace takes the part of a sinking, treacherous Mexican cattle "granger" while Forrest Taylor and Leon Cluff are cast as the

ranch foreman and the sheriff respectively. On the screen this week a mystery picture entitled "A Thief in the Night" is presented, featuring Marjorie Beebe.

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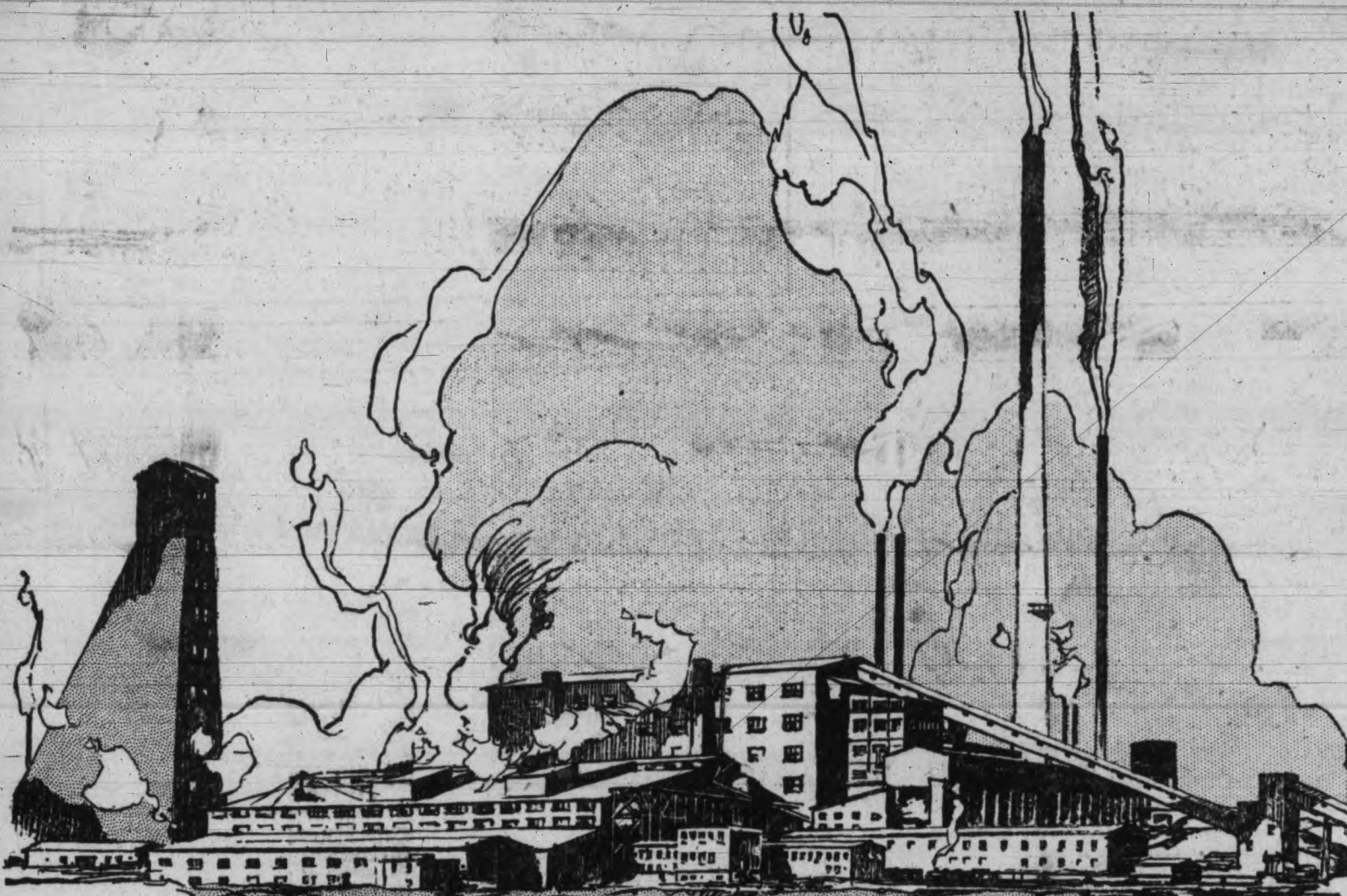
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